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INDICTMENTS OF FALL AND DOHENY FOR BRIBERY ARE UPHELD IN APPEAL

Which Resulted in
Quashing of Charges in
Lower Courts, Overruled
by Higher Tribunal.

DECISION COVERS TWO TRUE BILLS

Accusations Are That Former
Secretary of Interior
Accepted \$100,000 and
That Oil Man Paid It.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The Fall-Doheny bribery indictments, which were quashed several months ago in the lower courts here were held to be valid today by the District of Columbia Court of Appeals.

Appeals in abatement filed by former Secretary Albert B. Fall, Edward L. Doheny, oil magnate, and his son, Edward L. Doheny Jr., which the lower court granted, was overruled by Chief Justice George S. Martin on motion of the Government's special oil case counsel, Robert Pomerene and Owen J. Roberts.

The indictments were covered by the court's decision, one charging Fall with receiving a bribe of \$100,000 to influence his official action regarding certain oil leases, and the other charging the Dohenys with giving the bribe.

The Appellate Court held the act of Congress taking the heads of the oil and gas division of the heads of the Department of Justice meant only to deprive the Attorney-General of "charge and control" of the division and did not interfere with the use of the assistance of disbarred attorneys. The defense had used the presence in the grand jury room of Oliver C. Pagan, a legal assistant to the Attorney-General, violated the sanctity of the grand jury and nullified the indictment. This view was accepted.

In the lower courts, there are pending also in the District of Columbia Supreme Court indictments returned against Fall, Edward L. Doheny Sr., and Harry F. Sinclair, charging "conspiracy in connection with the naval oil leases."

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Designs for Finest Yacht
Ever Built.

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LONDON, Dec. 7.—King George will have to leave his misty island domain for a two months' sea trip each year, his medical advisers have decided.

The Mediterranean trip he took last spring was a complete success, and an annual repetition, preferably in the spring, will be necessary, the physicians believe. His Majesty has weak lungs which, with the approach of three score years, are affected by the long, damp London winters.

The problem of building another new royal yacht to replace the obsolete "Victoria and Albert," which is far from satisfactory as a sea cruiser, is again being considered.

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PRIEST GIVES CITY \$590
OWED BY A TAX-EVADER

Says Man Who Appeared Before
Stock Exchange.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The Rev. William Wilkinson, known as the Bishop of Wall Street, died at his home today, having illness of his death was flashed immediately to the Stock Exchange. Wilkinson came here from Minnesota about 25 years ago, and shortly thereafter began conducting noon meetings on the steps of the Subtreasury, in Wall street. He only missed a day in this public service, and soon became known as "Bishop of Wall Street." For years he was the official messenger for Trinity Church, and had retired on pension. His greatest happiness was in preaching to those who gathered around an impromptu pulpit at the Subtreasury. This work he continued through his illness.

Mr. Wilkinson was 77 years old, before coming to New York, a much preaching among the lumberjacks in Minnesota.

JOHN REID, AMERICA'S
FIRST WOMAN GOLFER, DIES

Was Born in St. Louis, But
Had Resided in Yonkers, N. Y.,
for 40 Years.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Lillian Reid, widow of John Reid, the first American golf player in country, died yesterday in Yonkers. She was 72 years old, and was born in St. Louis, the daughter of Daniel Coles Mudge, who was married in 1875. She has lived in Yonkers more than 40 years.

Her husband died in 1916, and her oldest son, John Reid Jr., died in 1921, and vice president of the United States Golf Association, died in June of this year. She survived by one son, two daughters, two sisters, and a brother.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at the home in Yonkers.

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Only 316 were published yesterday
by the other newspaper.

IN THE WANT PAGES OF THE
POST-DISPATCH
YESTERDAY

664
Help Wanted Ads
Were Carried

WELCOME TO 1000 FARMERS.

More than 1000 Illinois farmers were here to welcome Fred.

They represented every farm bureau in the State and 55 out of the 104 counties, the Illinois Agricultural Association announced.

The luncheon, at which no talks were made, was provided by farmers' co-operation organizations throughout the country, which sent the materials to the Hotel Sherman kitchen. A separate luncheon was given by the wives of the farm leaders, with Mrs. Coolidge as the guest of honor.

After President and Mrs. Coolidge

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CONGRESS MEETS, G. O. P. REGULARS ELECT LONGWORTH SPEAKER OF HOUSE

Rules of Procedure Adopted
Over Opposition of
Democrats and Insurgents
by Vote of 208 to 196.

DAWES IN SENATE IN INFORMAL GARB

Upper Chamber Reserves
Decision About Committee
Recognition to Be
Given Insurgents.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Congress came back into session today after its longest recess in years. With the opening ceremonies at noon, the big Republican majorities rolled up in the Coolidge landslide of 1924 took the saddle in both Senate and House, but kept a weather eye on the Democrats and insurgents who again were threatening a coalition against some of the pet projects of the administration.

Nicholas Longworth, (Rep.) of Ohio, was elected Speaker of the new House. He received 229 of the 420 votes cast. The vote for Garrett was 173, and for Cooper 13. Five voted present.

Later the House adopted rules of procedure over the opposition of Democrats and insurgents. The fight over the rules was on an amendment to make more difficult the discharge of a committee from consideration of a bill. The vote was 208 to 196.

Longworth received the necessary majority of all votes cast on the first ballot, despite the refusal of the Republican insurgents to support him.

The insurgents voted for Henry Allard Cooper of Wisconsin, who led the La Follette attack on President Coolidge and his policies at the Cleveland Republican convention last year. The Democratic candidate was Finis Garrett of Tennessee, the House Democratic floor leader.

Longworth, Cooper and Garrett voted "present" as did Berger, Socialist, Wisconsin, and Cars (Rep.) Minnesota, when his election was announced. Longworth was brought in on the part of his Democrat opponent, while the members stood and applauded.

Garrett then introduced the new Speaker with this eulogy:

"He is intellectually and temperamentally fitted. He is a wise and gifted character, and a gentleman beyond reproach. He stands splendidly equipped to succeed the long line of his worthy predecessors."

Longworth's Inaugural.

In his inaugural address Longworth divided the duties of his office into two classes—parliamentary and political.

"The first I propose to administer with most rigid impartiality," he said. "The political side, to my mind involves a question of party service. I believe it to be the duty of the Speaker, standing squarely on the platform of his party, to assist as far as possible in the enactment of legislation in accordance with the declared principles of his party."

The 12 voting for Cooper were Beck, Browne, Frear, Lampert, Nelson, Peavey, Schaefer, Schneider, and Voigt, all Republicans of Wisconsin; Kvale, Independent of Minnesota; La Guardia, Socialist of New York; Sinclair, Republican of North Dakota, and Wefald, Farmer-Labor of Minnesota.

Vice President Dawes, fresh from a countrywide speaking tour in favor of revision of the Senate rules, opened formally the new session of the Senate. While many of the Senators appeared in long-tailed formal dress, Dawes wore a double-breasted suit. Eighty-nine Senators were present.

Introduction of bills was not in order in the Senate during its brief session, but hundreds of legislative measures were introduced and died on the desk of the clerk of the House. Among them were suggested solutions for most of the major issues now before the country, including the problem of prohibition. Representative Hill (Rep.) of Maryland, proposed in a formal resolution to dispose of the prohibition question.

TOLEDO, Spain, Dec. 7.—There's to be a lance 500 feet long in a monster statue of Don Quixote, which it will take seven years to erect, near the birthplace of the prototype of his lady love Dulcinea.

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Three Women Members of the New Congress



Mrs. Florence Kahn, California

INCREASE IN BUSINESS

PHONE RATES UPHELD

Charges in Effect Since July, Approved by Circuit Judge Miller.

The increased rate for business telephones, which has been in effect since July 1, was approved in a decision rendered today by Circuit Judge Franklin Miller.

Approval was given by the State Public Service Commission June 6 to the new rate, which, according to the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., will add \$803,194 to its annual revenue here. The company held that the increase was needed to enable it to approximate a 7 per cent return on its investment, and to provide a 5 per cent reserve for depreciation.

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In approving the new rate, the commission fixed a period of 13 months for a trial, beginning July 1, and to expire Aug. 1 next. At that time, a permanent rate will replace the trial rate.

Arguments on the matter were heard by Judge Miller recently, and his decision today was announced without written opinion.

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JERSEY CITY, N. J., Dec. 7.—Mrs. Mary G. Norton, widow of Capt. Evans, is going to Washington to carry out some of the things her husband was most interested in—particularly to see that the veterans of the World War get a square deal.

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Assailants in Fleeing Crash Into Another Machine Injuring Two Men—Arrests Made.

MOTORCYCLE POLICEMAN THEODORE FUNKE.

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Funke and another motorcycle policeman, Harry Canton, were riding in a department touring car as the streets were too slippery for motorcycles. At 10 o'clock, when Packard touring car sped south at about 45 miles an hour, the policemen gave chase, but their Chevrolet was outdistanced. They continued on the lookout, and came upon the Packard as it was stopped in front of a cafe, near 6200 Gravois avenue. **Safe Driver.**

After placing the six occupants under arrest, Funke seated himself beside the driver and ordered him to drive the police car. They had gone but a few blocks when the men seated behind Funke opened fire with revolvers. Funke reached for his own revolver, but before he could bring it into action the driver had opened a door and kicked him into the street. Policeman Canton, following the Packard, fired at its occupants, and then picked up Funke and took him to city hospital.

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FIERCE GALES ON THE ATLANTIC

YORK, ENGLAND, Dec. 7.—Percival S. Hill, president of the American Tobacco Co., died unexpectedly at his Park avenue home today. He suffered an attack of acute indigestion and heart trouble yesterday.

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\$325,736,000 TAX REDUCTION BILL BEFORE HOUSE

Offered as First Legislative Business, Its Enactment by March 1 Will Be Goal of Congress.

ADDITIONAL VIEWS BY TWO MEMBERS

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LECTURER DEAD

\$205,000 CONTRIBUTE TO LOW TELL FOR JEWISH CHARITIES OF JACK DANIEL DISTILLERY SALE

Drive for Completion of \$300,000 Fund to Be Continued Throughout Week.



When the first meeting of the Federation of Jewish Charities of St. Louis adjourned last night at the Columbian Club, Lindell boulevard and Vandeventer avenue, \$205,000 of the \$300,000 fund to be contributed to the support of 22 Jewish institutions, had been subscribed.

Approximately 1500 persons attended the meeting, which inaugurated the first drive of its kind since the various charities had united with the sanction and active assistance of both the orthodox and reformed Jewish churches. The campaign will last one week during which a complete canvass of Jewish residents will be made. Jack Daniel, top executive director of the Federation of Jewish Charities in Philadelphia, spoke the advantages of concerted effort through a central body, as demonstrated in Philadelphia.

Duplications Eliminated.

"Through eliminating duplication of effort, not only is it more economical," he said, "but personal aid is assured when the need is cared for by one agency. The purpose of charity should be to improve the condition so that the unfortunate one can provide for himself in the future, instead of being dependent upon charitable organizations. This is constructive planning."

"Had we spent more money up on the education of the Jewry in the past 20 years, such philanthropy would have made it necessary to violate the prohibitory law in connection with alleged duplication. This is constructive planning."

"I am sure that the man who looks for success, who has his eyes fixed on distance, overlooks the wealth at his very feet. And he said told Dr. Conwell that one who should show a certain young man to be far better suited for traveling than Tigris."

The lecturer went on a man's greatest opportunity at home, married career, farm, Dr. Conwell was a newspaper man, war, author, immigration and traveler. His desire to help struggling students, men and women led him to found University, Philadelphia. His presidency grew to a school of many thousand.

South Worthington, 1848, he was educated at the University of the Civil War in the Forty-sixth Infantry, he rose to the rank of Colonel and was after the war he practiced law and founded a newspaper.

He ministered in 1879, was at Lexington, the remained for several months to Phila-

delphia and \$10,000.

Contributions of \$2000 and over were made by the following: Mr. and Mrs. Asa B. Motlow, Thomas A. Heffernan and Harry Dahlman, former Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Schoenbaum, Mr. and Mrs. Leon H. Conwell, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Goldstein, Mr. and Mrs. Harry, \$5000; Aaron Fuller, \$5000; P. H. Cullen, \$5000; Sigmund Bauer, \$5000; Benjamin H. Lazarus, \$5000; Julius Baer, \$5000; Charles M. Rice, \$4000; Marcus Steinberg, \$3000; Herman Husch, \$2500; Leopold Ackerman, \$2500; I. H. Leeser, \$2000; Julius Glaser, \$2000; Samuel Lazarus, \$2000; Mrs. Leo Drey, \$2000; Emil Straus, \$2000.

Technicality is Waived.

Both M. Walker of defense counsels then moved that the defendants be discharged on the grounds that they had not been identified as the persons named in the indictments. The defendants later admitted their identity in order not to take advantage of technicalities and the case proceeded.

Motlow, in his testimony, told of the sale and transfer of stock of the Jack Daniel Distilling Co. from Motlow and Dahlman to Tom Robinson, who was understood to be a Chicago financier and member of the Board of Trade. The stock certificates were represented by 855 barrels of Jack Daniels' whisky and about 62 cases of Motlow at the warehouse.

This took place in St. Louis, on June 25, 1923, he declared. A sum on the building to Robinson was drawn up and that, together with an indemnity bond furnished Motlow by Robinson as a guarantee that no violations of the insurance law would take place on his property, were given the next day. The bond made was \$50,000.

Motlow said the Government had filed a libel suit against his company following the discovery of the "filling" of the whisky barrels he notified the surety company that he expected to hold them for the bond, as the Government had instituted a suit in Federal court seeking to seize his property. The actual delivery of the sum to Motlow came on June 26, 1923.

Motlow denied all interest in the whisky on the day of the sale, which was made with the permission of the Internal Revenue Department, he said, and he did not read of it in the papers. He said that he, Heffernan and Dahlman, the officers in the old company, resigned and that Robinson and his associates elected their own officers after the sale was consummated.

Dahlman's testimony was virtually the same as that of Motlow and Motlow also took the stand. A decision was expected late in the day.

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Cigarette Cases of leather, in a variety of \$1 to \$7.50.

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Silk Umbrellas Are always appreciated. Close-roll silk Umbrellas with Prince of Wales handles. Priced \$7.50 to \$22.50.

Gloria Umbrellas are serviceable. \$2.50 to \$7.50.

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510 The Endicott-Johnson Shoe Co., 1412 Washington avenue, was damaged slightly by water.

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60 PER CENT GAIN IN YEAR
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By the Associated Press
NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The remarkable growth of the radio industry in five years is reflected in a study by Dominick & Dominick, brokers, showing business this year of approximately \$500,000,000, an increase of 60 per cent over that of 1924, compared with only \$6,000,000 in 1921.

There were 3,750,000 sets in use in 1924, while today it is estimated this figure has reached 10,000,000. The radio industry has been confined to sales in this country. It is stated that exports of radio products for the first half of the year amounted to \$4,068,442, as against \$1,326,248, with shipments to 75 different foreign countries.

MERCHANT, HURT
IN BLAST, DIES;
BROTHER HELD

Frank Giordano succumbed in Hospital and Relative Burned Seriously, Is Held a Prisoner.

STATEMENTS MADE
TO POLICE CONFLICT

Inquiry Being Made Into
Amount of Stock and In-
surance of Retail Store
on Morganford Road.

The value of the stock in Giordano Brothers' retail shoe store, 4618 Morganford road, and the amount of insurance were the subject of inquiry by the police today, following the explosion which destroyed the store Saturday night, and in which one of the three brothers, Frank Giordano, was fatally burned, and a second, Tony, was burned seriously.

Frank died in St. Anthony's Hospital yesterday. Tony is in a serious condition in City Hospital, where he is booked as a prisoner. The brothers said to the police that they had gone into the place at 10 p. m. to put out a light, that they saw two men run from the rear of the building, and that the explosion then occurred.

At the inquest into Frank Giordano's death an open verdict was returned, describing the "manner and cause of explosion unknown to jury." Police testified as to their examination of the premises and Paul Giordano, the third brother, was questioned, but failed to contribute anything important to the investigation.

A boy, helping in the police search of the place yesterday, found a small piece of fuse, burned in a manner which would indicate that a bomb was used.

The other surviving brother, Paul Giordano, said the shoe stock was worth \$14,000, and that the insurance on the store was not more than \$3,000. The damage to the building and to two similar small brick store buildings adjoining was \$10,000. All are owned by L. M. Peck, with an office in the Arcade building.

Tony Giordano, when first taken to city hospital, gave another name. The police found a contradiction between his statement that he went into the store with Frank, and Frank's first statement which was that he left Tony in the automobile and went in alone. Frank later changed his statement.

Paul Giordano said his brothers were watching the store as closely as they could, because of recent attempts to rob it. The three brothers lived at 1935A Cooper street.

CHECK-UP OF FLORIDA DEALS

Representative of Better Business Bureau at Work.

By the Associated Press
NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—John W. Garver of Buffalo, has gone to Florida to investigate and gather data concerning Florida land offerings to investors throughout the country as the representative of 45 Better Business Bureaus of the United States. The New York bureau announced yesterday. He will co-operate with the Florida Chamber of Commerce, and with bureaus recently established in St. Petersburg and Miami.

The New York Better Business Bureau, in its quarterly report, states there has been a large increase recently in Florida land offering in this city, some of which it considers of doubtful value.

LONDON LIKES U. S. TURKEYS

By the Associated Press

LONDON, Dec. 7.—American turkeys are just becoming known to England, and everybody in Mayfair now wants to have one for Christmas. A large flock of these birds, intended for the Thanksgiving dinners, which were postponed because of the death of Queen Mother Alexandra, were sold in London and were found to be such delicacies that hundreds of the birds have been ordered for Christmas.

The largest of the Thanksgiving birds have been placed on a farm in Kent to fatten up for the American Ambassador's Christmas dinner table. Others are to grace the tables of the Spanish Ambassador, Marquis Merry del Vale and Lord Carnarvon.

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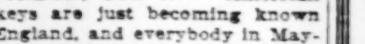
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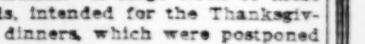
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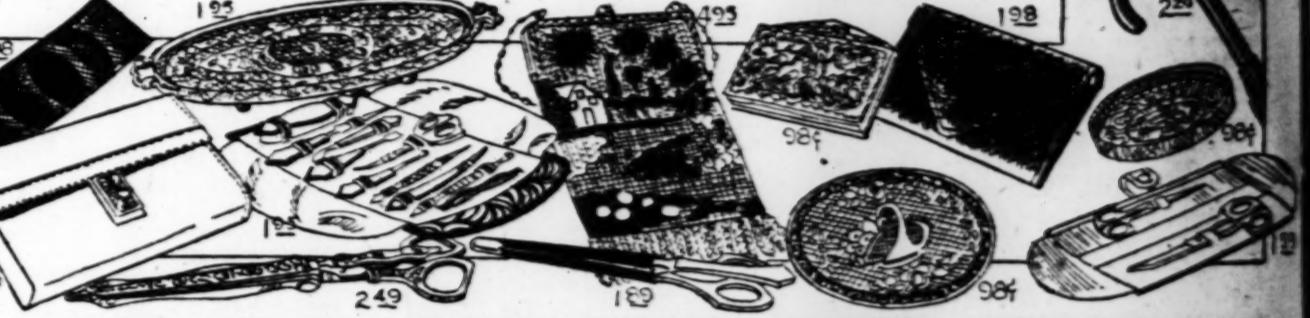
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152 Manicure Sets in roll-up cases at \$1.10 \$3.95
188 Vanity or Perfume Trays with lace inserts at 98c * \$1.95
35 Scissor Sets in leather cases, imported, at \$1.59 * \$1.95
34 Men's Military Hair Brush Sets, many in boxes, set, \$1.19 * \$2.95
335 men's, women's and children's Umbrellas, all rain-proof, black and colors 79c * \$2.29
73 Desk Sets of scissor and letter opener in sheath: imported \$1.59 * \$2.79
415 sample Handbags, including leather, bead- and silk 15c * \$9.95
388 Writing Portfolios, score cards, bridge sets, note books, engagement pads, etc., 29c * \$9.95
172 Men's Leather Bill Folds and Wallets 79c * \$2.95
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At 89c PairJuvenile
Novelty Suits
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98cMen's Fancy Socks
At 69c PairGift Aprons
50cMen's Trousers
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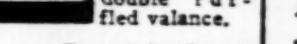
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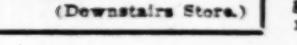
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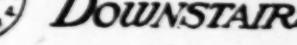




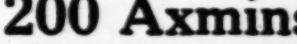


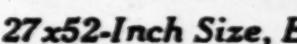


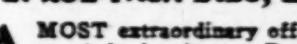


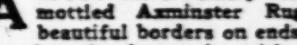


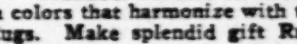


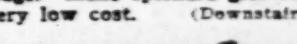












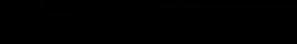


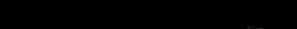












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Soft Novelties

Regular Wholesale Cost

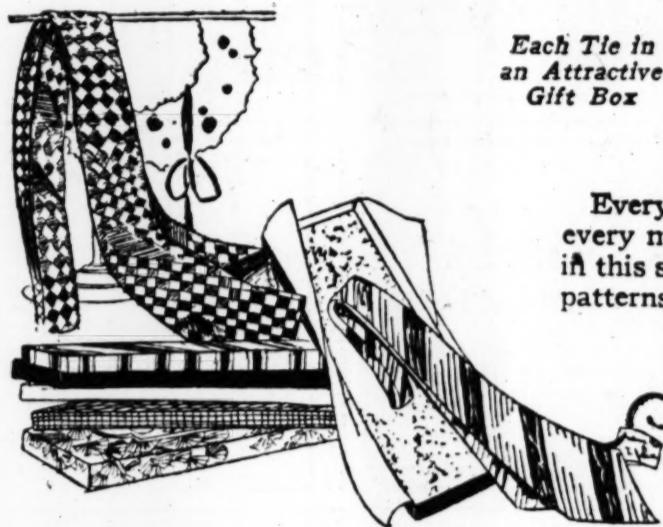
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Goodsoffer such high
This sale is
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hours.Letter openers in
\$1.50 to \$2.75
including leather, head-
15c to \$9.95
cards, bridge sets,
29c to 98c
79c to \$2.98
Downstairs Store.)Juvenile
Suits
2.25
DICKING Suits of
sweat, jersey and
corduroy in middy
Twist styles. A
selection of colors to
choose from; sizes 3 to 8.
(Downstairs Store.)Men's
Cut Silk Ties
50cALL full
length
with slip
band; come in
a beautiful as-
sortment of
patterns and
colorings; early
selection is
advised.Men's Boxed
Handkerchiefs
6 in Box
98cGRADE domestic
Swiss Handker-
chiefs in white and
color; of linen and fine
embroidered in
colors. Packed 3
in gift box. Spec-
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\$3.95OF cassimere and worsted
materials in a variety of
neat patterns; style for men
and young men; sizes 30 to 42.
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are trimmed with
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GRAND-LEADER

Worth-While Gifts That May Be Chosen at Attractive Prices

Sale of Men's Neckwear

6000 New Silk Ties Grouped at One Extremely Low Price

\$1.00

Every Tie is
an Exceptional
Value

Every woman may indulge her fancy for "his" Christmas and every man may declare his preference, for 6000 Ties are offered in this selling at worth-while savings. Plaids, stripes and figured patterns are included—every Tie has slip band.

Chamois-Faille Ties, \$1.50

Handsome striped fabrics, wool lined, fashion these sturdy Ties. Many attractive styles and patterns are offered, for 3000 Ties are included in the selling. (Main Floor.)

Petit Point Bags

In Pouch Styles
\$12.95

The gift unusual and especially pleasing may be chosen from these Bags. They show real petit point on black silk with mounting of metal. All are lined in silk. Very lovely for evening wear. (Main Floor.)

Women's Kid Gloves

At Special Price
\$2.65 Pair

You will find it desirable to choose several gifts from among these beautiful Gloves—for the values are truly unusual. In novelty gauntlet style, made of soft, imported kid with French cuffs. (Main Floor.)

Women's Bloomers

With Applique Trimming
\$2.95The Oriental
BazaarOffers These Three Helpful
Gift GroupsIncense Burners
\$2.00 to \$5.00

These heavy brass Jars, newly imported, are shown in various designs that make delightful gifts.

Flower Bowls, \$2.25
Tokanabe—Japanese pottery—Bowls are finished in dark green, strikingly decorated in red.Lovely Vases
\$1.00 to \$3.00
Japanese Vases with dull and with glaze backgrounds show colorful designs and may be used attractively as lamp bases. (Oriental Bazaar—Fifth Floor.)Boys' Bath Robes
Are Very Useful Gifts

\$3.98

These warm Robes are in colorful Indian designs and other attractive patterns; they are full-cut, with large patch pockets and cords to match; sizes 4 to 18.

Beacon Cloth
Robes, \$5.00

Checks and plaids in rich colorings; the shawl collars, cuffs and pockets, are trimmed with cord to match; sizes 4 to 18 years.

Terry Bath
Robes, \$7.98

A Robe for all the year 'round; made of heavy high-pile terry cloth in two-tone effects, tan-and-blue, orange-and-brown and other shades.

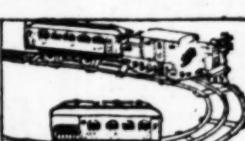
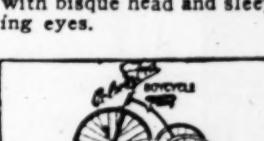
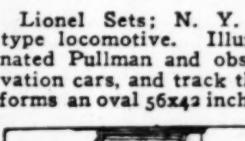
Silk Lounging Robes, \$15.98

Happy will be the boy who receives one of these on Christmas morning. They are made of brocaded silk, in blue combined with gold, maroon or silver, and are trimmed with silk cords. (Boys' Own Store—Fourth Floor.)

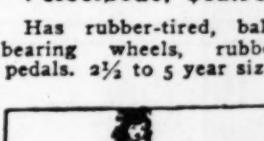


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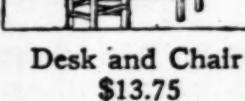
TOYTOWN

Tunnels, 89c
Large Tunnels for mechanical or electric trains.Baby Doll, \$1.98
New-Born Baby Doll, with bisque head and sleeping eyes.Electric Train
\$15.45Velocipede, \$12.98
Has rubber-tired, ball-bearing wheels, rubber pedals. 2½ to 5 year size.

Lionel Sets; N. Y. C. type locomotive. Illuminated Pullman and observation cars, and track that forms an oval 50x42 inches.

Desk and Chair
\$13.75

Chair and roll-top Desk with center drawer. (Fifth Floor.)

Jointed Dolls, \$2.95
Doll with ball-jointed arms and legs; bisque head, wig and sleeping eyes. (Fifth Floor.)Women's D'Orsay
Boudoir Slippers
\$1.79

MADE of high-grade quilted satin with covered heel; have padded sole; come in black, rose and open; sizes 3 to 8. (Downstairs Store.)

Men's Trouser
\$3.95

OF cassimere and worsted materials in a variety of neat patterns; style for men and young men; sizes 30 to 42. (Downstairs Store.)

Boys' Shirts
95c

PERCALES in striped patterns in collar-attached style; of poplin in attached-collar style; also plain blue, tan and white Shirts; sizes 6 to 14½. (Downstairs Store.)

Young Men's
Suits
\$12.50

OF cassimere and worsted materials in a variety of neat patterns; style for men and young men; sizes 30 to 42. (Downstairs Store.)

Confiners
59c

Different styles and in a variety of back-fastening section at back; one-inch elastic band sizes 32 to 46. (Downstairs Store.)

Fringed
Velvet Rugs
9.98

are 67 of these in beautiful patterns; this low price brings light irregularities; all are (Downstairs Store.)

We have just 50 of these excellent suits to offer at this price. Nicely tailored of woolen material in dark blue with neat pencil stripes; all are half lined with alpaca. Sizes 32 to 36. (Downstairs Store.)

Velvet Rugs
9.98

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Poker Racks, \$2.98

Leatherette covered, in mahogany finish, 200-chip capacity. (Main Floor.)



Christmas Candies

Are Ready for Your Baskets

Persons and institutions anticipating the purchase of Candies in large quantities for Christmas should place their orders now. Candies will be freshly made to order and delivered on day desired.

Woodlawn Goodies
in Patti Form
Special, 49c Lb.Black Walnut
Molasses Candy
Special, 27c Lb.

A crisp butterscotch in patti form, mixed with nuts of all kinds—deliciously fresh. (Main Floor.)

Made with open kettle molasses and new black walnut meats. (Main Floor.)

Etruscan Compacts

From Paris—Special

\$4.00



Only 150 of these antique gold-plated Compacts at this price—they are jewel set and fitted with finger ring and chain. Each Compact contains powder and puff. Choice of eight styles in the group. (Main Floor.)

Rain-or-Shine Umbrellas

At Very Special Price

\$4.98



Gifts practical as well as beautiful are suggested in this selling—the Umbrellas are in the favored tints, or in navy and black with satin borders. The handles are carved, the ends stubby, the fittings in amber. (Main Floor.)

Novelty Pillowcases

Each Pair in a Box

\$2.00 Pair



The housewife will welcome a gift of these Pillowcases, made of soft pillowcase muslin with a highly mercerized finish. Attractively embroidered in solid work combined with eyelets, and with elaborate set-in medallion and deep woven lace edge. (Second Floor.)

Choose Enduring Gifts From

The Sale of
Cedar Chests

Walnut-Finished, \$20.85

These Chests are sturdily and beautifully built of Tennessee red cedar, with rubbed-walnut finish. They have a decorated panel front; lock, key and sliding casters. Size 45x20x20.

Walnut-Finished
\$29.75

Cabinet made of Tennessee red cedar in the 45x30x19 size, in choice of copper-trimmed or plain color. Spacious interior and graceful design recommend this Chest. Size 44x20x20.

Queen Anne Style
\$16.95

Queen Anne Model in two-tone finish. \$35.00 (Sixth Floor.)

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SUGGESTION
Basement

FUR-TRIMMED OATS
Special Christmas Offering
24.85

Anything more appreciated
Coats for a gift
grouped many sample Coats
our trimmings and linings are
so many pieces. You will be
when you see them. The
styles are such that you
will find in Coats that sell
at the same price
for women, misses and stout.
Fur-Trimmed Coats
Special Christmas Offering
not be disappointed when
the wonderful selection. The
style, colors and designs are
worthy of inspection. \$14.85

Stamped Dresses
49c
Very attractive designs
stamped on gingham and cotton
linen. \$1.98

Marmois-Suede Gloves
Values to \$1.50
Fancy washable fabric Gloves, full
shrunken; imported; very
fine quality; fancy cuffs,
scalloped, turn-down and
gauntlet styles. Embroidered
in contrasting colors,
gray, mode, cover, brown,
tan, etc. Sizes 6 to 8 1/2.
\$69c

Gloves
Values to \$3.50
Fancy washable fabric Gloves, full
shrunken; imported; very
fine quality; fancy cuffs,
scalloped, turn-down and
gauntlet styles. Embroidered
in contrasting colors,
gray, mode, cover, brown,
tan, etc. Sizes 7 to 9 1/2.
\$1.95

Handbags
Everyone guaranteed perfect, beau-
tiful bright colors
and designs. \$1.69

Men's Bath Robes
Blanket or Terry Cloth
Regulars of highest grade Robes.
Colors not noticeable. Many silk
with silk girdle; all colors; beau-
tiful patterns; full
size 100
\$3.95

Men's Blanket Bathrobes
Men's Blanket Robes in new
colors; stripes with silk girdle.
Full size 100
\$2.95

The New Nugents

The Store for
ALL the People



Gifts for Baby

Embroidered Quilts
Japan satin and crepe de chine. Most unusual in design are these beautiful quilts. The quilt is suitable for crib or carriage and is cotton or silk and quilted. Size 27x36-Inch \$5.95

Satin Quilts
For crib or carriage. Beautifully embroidered in attractive new designs. Pink or blue. Special \$3.98

Quilted Jackets
Satin quilted Jackets with collars or collars. Daintily embroidered in pink or blue, with silk cord ties. Special \$2.98

\$2.50 Quilted Satin Boots
Fur-trimmed Satin Boots in pink, blue and white. Size 2 1/2. Boxed for gifts. \$1.98
(Nugents—Second Floor.)

It's Christmas Time at Nugents Silk Lingerie

A very special group from which you may choose Crepe de Chine, Crepe Satin, and Radium Silk Envelopes, Step-in Chemise and Radium Bloomers. Bodice top styles, also Crepe de Chine Slip-on Nightgowns.

All daintily trimmed with fine laces, hemstitching and tucks. \$3.95
Pastel colors.
Priced



(Nugents—Second Floor, South.)

Women's Sweaters

Looks just like suede, these new Suedine Sweater Blouses. A revelation to the sports or college girl. Knitted wool collars, cuffs and band. Come in tan, brown, blue, henna and red.

Also those adorable Jacquard Sweaters in turtle and V-neck styles. Checks and plaids. Sizes 36 to 42.

(Nugents—Second Floor, South.)

Silks

40-in. Crepe de Chine—\$2.45
In all the new colors; ivory or black
40-Inch Crepe Satins—In new colors and black. \$2.45
40-Inch Black Flat Thread Crepe and Satin Dress Crepe. \$2.45
40-inch Printed Crepe de Chines or Radium Silks. \$1.98
40-inch Brocaded Canton Crepe in colors or black. \$1.98
36-inch Changeable Chiffon Taffetas in color combinations. \$1.98
40-inch Black Crepe Faille—silk and wool weave. \$1.29
40-inch Printed Georgette Crepe—in light colors. \$1.29
40-inch Black Silk and Wool Krinkled Krepe. \$1.29
Yard
Yard
Yard
(Nugents—Main Floor, South.)

Iridescent Stem Glassware

Table Service for Xmas Gifts
Beautiful iridescent rainbow colors, in blown optic stem glassware. There are fancy-shaped stem water goblets, ice cream and sherbet dishes, tall water glasses, ice tea or lemonade glasses. Set of 6 for.

\$1.98
\$1.00
Choice, each

(Nugents—Fourth Floor, South.)

2000 LAMPS

Floor
Bridge
Junior

Many
1/2 Price

Special Lot \$17.00
Complete

Coats

Fur collars, cuffs and many with borders in this group of Coats. Every one silk lined. Delightful new models that indicate Coats of the highest type.

\$39.75

Colors are the very best.
(Nugents—Second Floor, North.)

Oriental Rugs

Make an Ideal Christmas Gift

A small Rug here and there adds much to one's rooms. Exquisite designs in the real Oriental colorings, at an opportunity to purchase. Exceptionally low priced. Your choice of

Mossouls—
Size 5.6x3.4.

\$42.50

Bergonnes—
Size 4.5x2.1.

\$32.50



MEN'S HOSE

1200 Pairs Men's Imported Fancy Lisle Hose

79c

Real Gift Sox. The kind particular men are wearing—and they are imported too, from Saxony. In the prettiest shades of tan, gray, and blue with circular stripes and fancy checks. Full-fashioned. They are the kind that fit so well around the ankle. Sizes 9 1/2 to 11. Priced.

Come early while a complete selection of styles and sizes are here.
(Nugents—Main Floor, North.)

Come to Toyland

Santa's Surprise Package

Old Santa will be here himself and has arranged 5000 Surprise Packages for boys and girls, containing toys of every description and kind, specially selected by old Santa himself. Every one a real value. More beautiful than in any year past. Bring the kiddies.

Surprise Package
25¢
Delivered in
Fairyland

Visit the Gift Shop—Second Floor

Exceptional Toy Values

Footballs, Blackboards, Animals, Horses on platforms, Games, Books, Iron Toys, Musical Toys, Paint Sets, Embroidery Sets, Tool Sets, Pinwheels, Stoves, Trunk, Umbrella, Dolls, Books, Pina, Teddy Bears, Horseshoe Games, Train on Track, Aluminum Cooking Sets, Blue-Enamelled Tea Sets, Christmas Trees, Electric Tree Light Outfits, Etc. Choice

\$1
200 Roll Top Desk and Chair Sets
A strongly made desk of solid oak, highly varnished; with sliding top, pigeon hole compartments, with chair. \$8.95
\$2.25 Roll Top Desk
Large size: two drawers, pigeon hole compartments and swivel chair. \$19.95

\$2.75 Child's Arm Rocker
Large size of solid oak, with leatherette covered seats. \$1.95
\$2.00 Baby Walkers
Well made and highly finished; a dandy toy for the small \$2.49
\$3.95 Velocipedes
Strongly made; black enamelled; with adjustable spring. \$2.95
\$2.00 Choo-Choo Cars
Strong and in natural finish; with front and back wheels; horse head to sell at. \$1.13

\$10.00 American Flyer
Electric Train
Electric Train Locomotive with engine, 4 passenger cars and 200 inches of track. \$17.85
\$3.50 American Flyer
Mechanical Train
Speedy Go-Go Train with engine, 4 passenger cars and 200 inches of track. \$2.79

\$7.50 American Beauty Iron
The best Iron made. Well known 6 1/2-lb weight, the standard electric Iron. Fully guaranteed. Complete with durable cord and plug.

\$2.69 Gloria Hair Beauty Sets
The new Samson Gloria Hair Beauty Combination Sets—comprising four appliances in one for marcel, curling, waving and drying. \$1.95
Complete Sets

\$2.79
(Nugents—Third Floor, South.)

SALES BOOTH No 5

On the Sales Booths

Sales Booth No. 7
\$1.95 Philippine Lingerie
Philippine hand-embroidered, hand-made Slip over Nightgowns and Envelope Chemise of fine Nainsook, hand-embroidered with designs across the front and hand scalloped edges. Each \$1.45

Sales Booth No. 8
Serving Trays
Highly polished Mahogany frame Serving Trays in oval and round shapes with side handles and beautiful Greek designs under glass service surface. Choice \$2.00

Sales Booth No. 9
Child's 3-Piece Novelty Sets
Three-piece sets consisting of artificial Pearl Necklace, Bracelet and Novelty Purse, attractively boxed. \$1.00

Sales Booth No. 10
D'Heraud's Gift Sets
In attractive boxes. Have bottle of Bath Perfume or Toilet Water. Delightful odors of Narcissus, Jasmine, Chypre, etc. Ideal for gift \$1.50

Sales Booth No. 11
Men's Mufflers
"The Scotchman." Every one bears the label. Checks and plaids; fringed ends. Full size. 85c

Sales Booth No. 12
Small Mirrors—Various Shapes
Various shapes and designs that make wonderful gifts for Xmas. Frames are artistically designed and finished in new styles, silver, gold, etc.; some are matted or etched floral designs, while others have beautiful full picture framed at one or both ends.

Sales Booth No. 13
Men's Gift Slippers
Men's all-leather brown Kid House Slippers in Everette or Opera styles; also sheep wool and brushed wool monogrammed slippers. \$1.49

Sales Booth No. 14
Mechanical Toys
Mechanical Trains, consisting of engine and tender, one coach, and eight sections of curved track. Good spring. \$1.49

Sales Booth No. 15
Women's Ribbon-Trimmmed Moccasins
Made of excellent quality felt and have padded six soles. Come in a vast assortment of colors and combinations. Make ideal gifts. 79c

Sales Booth No. 17
Children's Toys
Table Croquet: consisting of 6 mallets of good size. Toy Buses, with good spring, passengers and conductor. Toy Garages, with two sport model cars; with good spring. \$1.00

Sales Booth No. 18
\$2.95 Blanket Bathrobes
A splendid warm robe made of Beacon Cashmere. Pretty floral and jacquard patterns, finished with fancy cord and contrasting bands on collar, cuffs and pockets; cord and tassel. \$1.95

Sales Booth No. 19
Men's Comb. Handkerchief & Tie Sets
Combination Handkerchief and Tie Sets in a Xmas box. Open-end four-in-hand Ties with Handkerchief of the same materials. \$1.15

Sales Booth No. 20
Kiddies' Felt Comfy Slippers
All-felt Comfy Slippers for the kiddies with ornamental and floral silk soles in blue, purple, green or orchid colors. Sizes: Child's 5 to misses' 2. \$79c

Sales Booth No. 21
Boys' 75c and \$1 Belts
Belts of the newest shades for boys. In blues, grays, tans and rusts. Real values. Sizes 24 to 32. 50c

Visit Second Floor Gift Shop—
Wonderful Display

Electrical Gifts

\$9.50 Universal Percolator

Universal 9-cup capacity panel style. None better made for satisfactory results. Highly polished aluminum. Complete with \$7.85 Universal cord plug.

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The best Iron made. Well known 6 1/2-lb weight, the standard electric Iron. Fully guaranteed. Complete with durable cord and plug.

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**Double Eagle
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St. Louis' Dominant Christmas Store

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We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2.00 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted

Largest Distributors of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri and the West



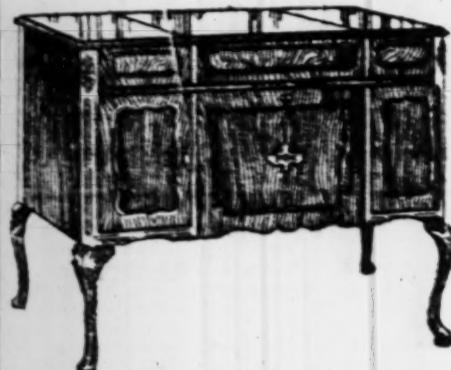
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\$35 Value.... \$19.95

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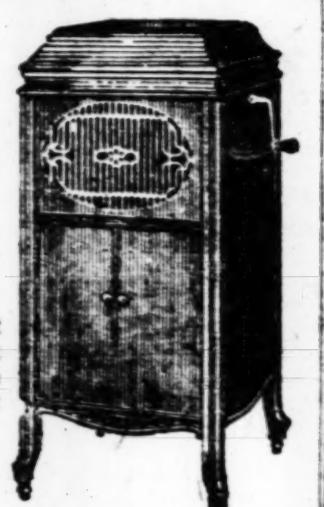
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Cheney "Abbot'sford"
Regularly \$300, \$150
Now....
\$15 Cash, \$8 Monthly

A Queen Anne console showing the unsurpassed craftsmanship of Cheney cabinet makers—and possessing the deep, rich tone from violin resonators, for which this make is renowned. Worthy of the finest home.

\$145 Cheney, Style 121, now.... \$72.50
\$200 Cheney, Style 118, now.... \$100
\$250 Cheney, Style 120, now.... \$125
\$315 Cheney, Style 130, now.... \$175.00



\$160 Brunswick
Now Offered \$80

A style ideal for rooms of average size—this brown mahogany, walnut or oak finished Brunswick Upright Phonograph with double ultone and automatic stop. Ideal for a Christmas gift.

Music Salon—Sixth Floor.

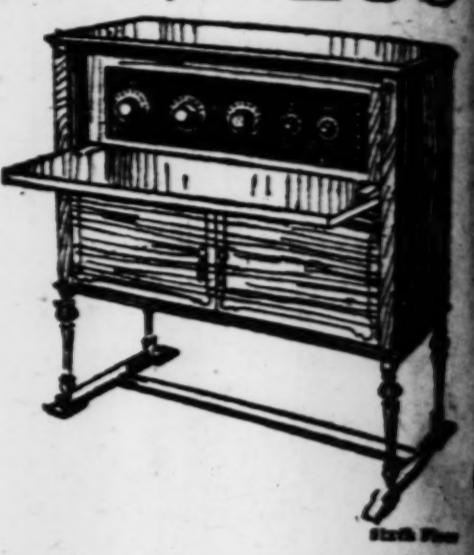


Let Your Family Enjoy a "Radio Christmas"—With One of the Freed-Eisemann 5-Tube Radios

Latest Model Long Distance Receiver in Highboy Cabinet Special, With Equipment

© We have just 50 of these splendid Radio Sets to offer—so that this opportunity urges immediate attention. All batteries, accessories and loud speaker are contained in the distinctive cabinet of this 5-tube Receiver—and you'll wonder at its performance!

**Music Master
5-Tube Radio
Model No. 60
Complete for
\$115**



Another very popular and successful receiving set with artistic cabinet. Fully equipped at this advantageous price—with five RCA tubes, loud speaker, all batteries and serial equipment. Clear, strong distance reception and selectivity are features of the Music Master.

**Double Eagle
Stamps Tuesday**

\$8.95

**54-Inch
Satin Crepe
\$4.95 and \$5.50 Values
\$2.88**

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**\$6.95 to \$9.95 Embroidered
Fabrics, bengaline and flat and satin C
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designs; 54 inches wide; the yard....**

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Remarkable



Doll Cabs

**\$14.95 \$9.95
Value....**

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Special

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Fairyland

Beckons Kiddies

© Let the children take the trip

through

Fairyland

—to meet Santa. Each one

with \$25 ticket, obtainable at

**entrance, will be given a sur-
prise package.**

For a Gift—Or Your Own T

Wardrobe T



Other Wardrobe

**\$55 Trunks, custom built
\$45 Trunks, full size, lift top
\$35 Trunks, bulge-top style
\$30 Trunks, medium size, lift top**

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You'll Be Impressed With This Advantageous Choice of Stoves and Heaters

—and Other Timely Needs—Select for Your Home Tuesday



**Sanico
Gas Ranges
Special \$87.45
Value at.**

Cabinet style, white and gray porcelain finished Ranges with right or left hand oven and back burner 4-burner cooking top; automatic lighter. Convection included.

Sanico Ranges
Cabinet style, white and gray porcelain finish; 18-inch oven, convection top; right or left hand.... \$75.45

Wilson Coal Heaters
Bridge & Beach Coal Heaters \$21.50 to \$22.00
Cole's High-Oven Coal Ranges \$63.50 to \$115.00
Cole's Comb. Coal and Gas Ranges \$118.50 to \$149.50
Bridge & Beach Comb. Ranges \$120.00 to \$190.00
"Chamberlain" Gas Ranges \$100.00 to \$188.50
Globe Gas Ranges \$39.95 to \$145.00
Cole's Gas Ranges \$55.50 to \$100.00
Bridge & Beach Gas Ranges \$52.00 to \$111.50
Quick Meal Gas Ranges \$24.10 to \$164.25
Perfection Oil Heaters \$6.00 to \$14.00
Fireplace Sets \$6.00 to \$14.00
Andirons \$6.00 to \$19.95
Fire screens, folding styles \$6.95 to \$22.95

© Lovejoy Radiant 10-tube Gas Heaters in black Japanned finish; wire guard.... \$11.45

\$22.50 Heaters

Brilliant gas Heaters, 10-tube style, bronzed or brass finish; wire guard.... \$17.95

\$20 Stoves

Coal heating Stoves, Actina Hot Blast; down draft; top feed; large hand bowl.... \$15.95

Cole's Stoves

\$22.50 to \$54.50

Coal Heating Stoves, with hot blast feature, known as fuel savers.

Sellers Cabinets

\$47.50 to \$84.50

Sanitary Kilmarnock Kitchen Cabinets in latest styles; white, gray or oak finish.

\$5 Cash, \$8 Monthly.

© Seventh Floor

"National" Pressure Cookers

**12-Quart Size, \$19.95
Special at....**

Terms \$2 Cash and \$5 Monthly



© A most advantageous opportunity to secure one of these excellent Cookers—that save one-third of the time required to cook meals by ordinary methods—and save on gas and food bills as well. An ideal, practical gift.

10-quart size, special.... \$17.10

12-quart size, special.... \$24.50

15-quart size, special.... \$30.90

© Basement Economy Store

\$5.10 Wax Sets

"Old English" Floor waxer, can wax and can brightener, the Set.... \$2.84

\$3.15 Roasters

Oval Mimo aluminum Roasters in 11x17-inch size, self-basting; ventilating.... \$2.45

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\$7.60 Griswold Dutch Ovens.... \$5.49

\$6.95 Universal Canning Sets.... \$3.49

\$8.95 Universal Canning Sets.... \$6.95

\$4.90, \$6 and \$6.50 Wear-ever Aluminum Roasters.... \$3.95, \$4.95 and \$5.95

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\$59 to \$65 Dinner Sets

100 Pieces—Special Tuesday..... \$45

© Unusually varied choice at this emphatic saving—Sets of various imported wares—all of high quality—in flower border and garland patterns, with coin gold covered handles. Many designs in very limited groups.

Other 100-Piece China Sets

\$150 Encrusted Gold Band Sets.... \$119

\$135 Encrusted Gold Band Sets.... \$95

\$125 Theo. Hayland China Sets.... \$85

\$80 Imported Sets.... \$50

\$50 Japanese China Sets.... \$33

© Fifth Floor

12-Quart Size, \$19.95

Special at....

Terms \$2 Cash and \$5 Monthly

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"Universal" Cookers
\$35 Value... \$19.95

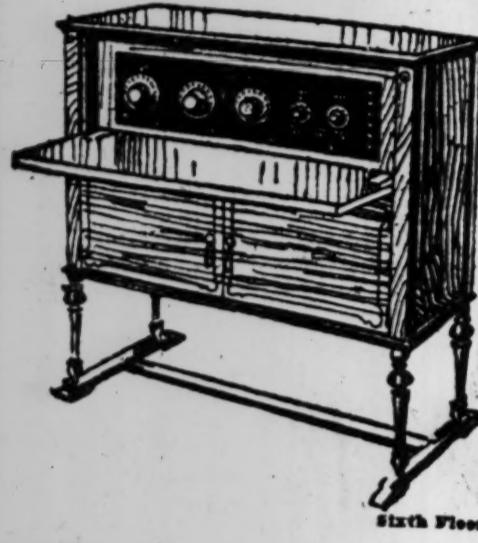
The popular Universal Junior Electric Range—ideal cooking appliances for small kitchens. With 24 utensils. Basement Gallery

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Receiver—and you'll

\$139



Store

From These Boys' Two-Pants
Suits or Overcoats

Choice, Each

\$7 and \$9

Suits are in sports, pleated and plain English
suits, with or without vest. Tailored of all
silk and wool-mixed materials in patterns and
colors that boys like. Sizes 7 to 18 years. Over-
coats are of cheviot and cashmere fabrics, also
chilla cloth, in single and double breasted
suits.

Boys' Long-Pants Suits

With one pair of long and one pair of short
suits. Of durable fabrics in light and dark
and neat patterns. Sizes 4 to 12 years. Offered at
\$11.75 Basement Economy Store

Indestructible
Pearls

\$1.95 \$1.00
Value...

Beautiful imitation Pearls that
will not break, peel or discolor.
Graduated and with silver clasp.
Neckly boxed.

Basement Economy Store

Girls' Coats

\$12.50 to \$13.50 Values...

Coats of all-wool materials,
with fur collar, cuffs and tabs.
Good styles and colors. Sizes 3
to 14 years.

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Women's Silk Hose

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A group of women's full-
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with double lace tops and re-
inforced feet. Obtainable in
black and the good colors.

Basement Economy Store

Stated Tuesday Are These
Ten Table Sets

for... \$13.50

Towel Sets
Bleached knitted Towel Sets
—2 towels and wash cloth;
shell edge, embroidered in
blue, pink, gold or blue. Set... 85c

Table Damask
Bleached rayon cotton
Damask 64 inches wide and
in floral designs. Wide
colored border. Yard... 75c

Basement Economy Store

Double Eagle
Stamps Tuesday



St. Louis' Dominant Christmas Store
FAIRY-TALE BARR CO.

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2.00 in
Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted

Largest Distributors of Merchandise
at Retail in Missouri and the West



Gift Certificates

Are Sure to Please

Famous-Barr Co.'s Gift Certificates
are real remembrances—enabling re-
cipients to select their own tokens at
this Dominant Christmas Store. At all
Exchange Desks.

Tuesday We Will Place on Sale a New Shipment of Richly Beautiful

\$8.95 Velvet Brocades

54-Inch
Satin Crepe

\$4.95 and \$5.50 Values

\$3.88

Reversible all-silk
Crepe with satin face;
in black, white and fa-
vored light and dark
frock colors.

\$6.95 to \$9.95 Embroidered Crepes
Fall, bengaline and flat and satin Crepes with embroi-
dered borders in multi-colored, applique or eyelet
designs; 54 inches wide; the yard... \$3.88

Extraordinary
Choice, Yard...

\$5.55

Bordered
54-In. Woolens

\$5.50 to \$6.50 Values

\$3.48

For frocks of ultra-
delicate, select these
fine all-wool fabrics—
flannels and twills, with
deep embroidered bor-
ders.

4.50 54-Inch Black Crepe
Heavy quality all-silk Crepe de Chine in deep black;
flat weave—suitable for frocks and
other garments; yard... \$3.29

Third Floor—Use Sixth or Seventh Street Elevators

Many Will Insure Kiddies' "Merry Christmas" by Selecting From Tuesday's
Offerings in Toyland

Remarkable Groups of Toys and Dolls at Worth-While Savings



Doll Cabs

\$14.95 Value... \$9.95

Woven fiber Doll Car-
riages with reversible
gear, reclining back and
adjustable hood.

Fairyland
Beckons Kiddies

Let the children take the trip
through fascinating Fairyland
—to meet Santa. Each one
with 25¢ ticket, obtainable at
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Towel Sets
Bleached knitted Towel Sets

Store Hours:
Daily, 9 to 5:30;
Saturday, 9 to 6.

Scruggs Vandervoort Barney

"The Store of the Christmas Spirit"

Only 15 More Shopping Days Before Christmas

Courtesy

OUR occasional references to courtesy are not intended to claim any credit for it, but merely to remind you that you are entitled to it, so that you may let us know if you don't get it.

SCRUGGS-
VANDERVOORT-
BARNEY



Kenwood Blankets
For Christmas
60x84 Inch, \$13.50
72x84 Inch, \$15.00

A fine gift for the housewife. Kenwood wool blankets are mothproofed and pre-shrunk and come in handsome checks and solid colors. Bound with satin ribbon.

Kenwood Throws
\$10.00

Basket-weave wool throws in colors to match Kenwood blankets. 60x72 inches.

Blanket Shop—Second Floor.



Boys' Lumberjack Shirts
\$3.45

Warm little shirts in bright-colored plaids and figures. Made with knit bottom and self collar, in sizes 4 to 10 years.



Boys' Blouses
69c

Made of muslin, Oxford and percale, in neat stripes and plain colors. Modeled with regular collar or sports neck. In sizes 7 to 14 years.



Children's Sleepers
74c

Made of flannelette with attached feet, button in back, with drop seat. Neat stripes of pink and blue. Sizes 2 to 10 years.

Boys' Furnishing Shop—Second Floor.

Bring Christmas
Delight to Any
Boy With



YANKIBOY PLAY SUITS

Here in Complete Assortment at

\$1.75 to \$8.50



ONE gift that will be certain to please any boy is a Yankiboy Suit—for these Suits have been designed to meet the imaginative mind of the small boy. Watch him at his play and you will see an Indian chief, or a traffic cop, or a policeman, or a cowboy, or a fireman—and you will realize the necessity for dressing him in keeping with his role.

Here at Vandervoort's you will find them all, for boys from 4 to 12 years of age. And those who are familiar with Yankiboy Play Suits need not be reminded of the superior quality in materials and workmanship that they offer. Because of the excellent service that these Suits give, they are very economical garments.

Others Up to \$7.95
Trimming Shop—First Floor.



Indian Wigwam Tents
\$6.50

Well made of good quality drill in khaki color, with colored Indian stenciled designs. Come in the large size.

Boys' Furnishing Shop—Second Floor.

Hundreds of New Toys For Christmas Gifts

Bring in the Children to Talk With Santa in Person
THE Toy Shop is chock-full of gift suggestions! Every imaginable sort of Toy is here. There are Toys that girls will like, and other Toys destined for he-boys.

See the Train That Stops and Starts at the Sound of Your Voice!



Speed Bikes
\$22.50

High-grade Speed Bikes for children of 6 to 12. Well made, having blue enameled frame, nickel adjustable handlebars, saddle seat and coaster brake.



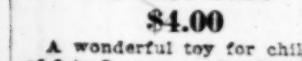
Dressed Mama Dolls
\$2.95

Dolls that cry "mamma" quite naturally. They have bobbed hair wigs, moving eyes, composition head and arms. Varieties of frocks; all have shoes and stockings.



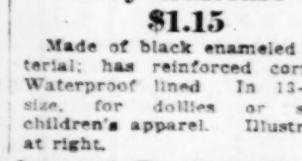
Glove Monkeys
\$1.25

Cunning Glove Monkeys that slip over the hand, and perform many "monkey shins" when fingers are moved.



Toy Suitcase
\$1.15

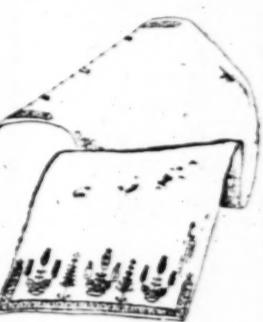
Made of black enameled material; reinforced corners. Water-proof lined. In 12-inch size, for dolls or small children's apparel. Illustrated at right.



These easel type Boards are well constructed and have three rows of colored beads at the top. Ideal for young children.

Vandervoort's Toy Shop—Downstairs.

Chocolate-
Dipped
Caramels
35c Lb.
Regularly 40c Lb.
Special for
Tuesday Only
Candy Shop—First
Floor.



**Hand-Woven
Turkish Scarfs**

\$3.95

THE friend who likes the unusual will delight in receiving one of these antique Turkish Scarfs, many, many years old. The linen is hand woven and the designs hand done. Different sizes suitable for runners, sofa cushions and most individual for making collar and cuff sets.

Others Up to \$7.95
Trimming Shop—First Floor.

Three and one-half yards of changeable Taffeta at \$1.95 a yard. Lovely colors.

Party Frock—Length, \$6.93

Four yards of lustrous Black Satin Charmeuse at \$1.95 a yard.

Suggestion 2—At \$10.00

Four yards of excellent quality Black Crepe de Chine at \$2.50 a yard.

Suggestion 3—At \$11.92

Four yards of handsome Black Crepe de Chine at \$2.95 a yard.

Suggestion 4—At \$10.76

Four yards of Crepe de Chine in a large assortment of colors at \$2.65 a yard.

Daytime Frock—Length, \$10.76

Four yards of Crepe de Chine at \$3.00 a yard. any color most becoming to sister.

Lingerie Silk—Length, \$8.75

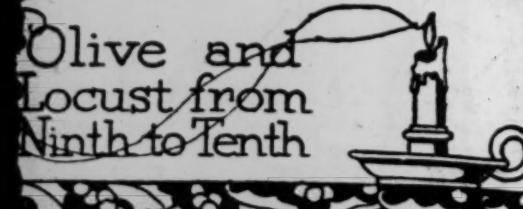
Two and one-half yards of Cheney's Crepe Jersey in delicate tints for nightgowns, \$3.50 a yard.

Crepe Satin—Length, \$11.92

Four yards of Crepe Satin in daytime evening shades. \$2.95 a yard.

Silk Plaza—Second Floor.

Slipper Shop—Second Floor.



Christmas

for Gifts

Received the Silk
in a Christ-
mas. A gift sug-
ger's gift prob-
sister?" Four



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Four yards of handsome Black Crepe Satin
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Second Floor.

for the Home
Tapestry Shop
Red Cedar Chest

Special, \$9.75

Regularly \$11.85

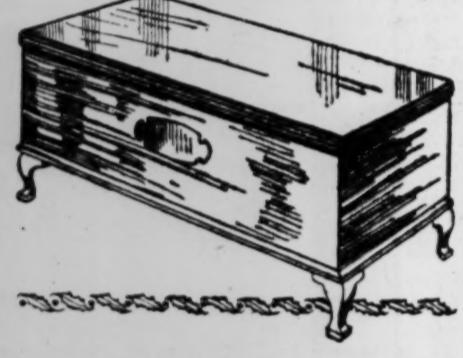
As Illustrated at Left

Genuine Tennessee red cedar with copper
trimmings. Well constructed and beautifully
made, it will be a most welcome gift. Size 36
inches. Completely equipped.

Size 40 in., regularly \$15.75, for \$13.00

Size 45 in., regularly \$19.50, for \$16.00

Size 48 in., regularly \$21.00, for \$17.50



Tapestry Panels
Special, \$9.75

Size 26x50 inches

Imported Panels, showing beautiful scenes
in colorings. A very special offering at
price.

have a great variety of styles in Tapestries
in cotton, wool and hand-woven panels
from

\$15.00 to \$350.00

Scarfs
and 98c
Tapestry squares
in various sizes.
Many values are
large group.
Scarfs and
in price from
\$4.75 to \$25.00
Fourth Floor.

Practical Pillows

Special, \$4.75

Covered in very fine uphol-
stering in various
colors. Mohair, damask,
broadcloth, brocades and satin
that will give excellent service
in the use of everyday.

Others range from \$6.50 to

\$12.50 and may be purchased in
sets of two or three to match
for the davenport.

Christmas Tree a New Rug
to Your Pleasure
values in Rugs

at the demands of those who are getting
the most of the year—when friends and relatives
are home and its comforts are uppermost in

25 Axminster Rugs
Of Good Wearable Quality, Size
9x12 Ft., Regularly \$47.50 and More

Inexpensive, considering the satisfactory
quality and pleasing effects.
This selected group in odd
patterns offers excellent
choice.

\$39.75

Phone
Nearest
Branch
PORTIERES
AND
PANEL CURTAINS
CLEANED

Last Night for River Lights.
Post lights will be lighted to-
night for the last time this season
on the Mississippi River between
the mouth of the Missouri River and
Grafton, and on the Illinois River
between its mouth and
Griggsville.

**\$49,453,090 DEFICIT
IN POSTAL SERVICE**

New Attributes Excessive Cost
to Failure to Offset Pay
Increases.

By the Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—General economies and increased efficiency are reported by Postmaster-General New as having marked the year's operations of the nation's largest single business enterprise, the postal service, but there was a large deficit, due principally, he said, to salary increases.

Sending his annual accounting to President Coolidge, the Postmaster-General placed the operating deficit at \$49,453,090 for the fiscal year of 1925, compared with \$24,362,491 for the previous year. Responsibility for this deficit he laid on Congress for failure to heed the Postoffice Department's recommendations for rate increases which would meet the salary advances.

The present increased postage rates voted by Congress, New said, have netted less than half the total of the salary increases. A special Congressional Joint Subcommittee is at work on recommendations for permanent postage rates.

New's Recommendations.

The Postmaster-General made a number of recommendations for legislation, including provisions for higher retirement annuities for postal employees, for group insurance and for relieving the President of the duty of designating third-class Postmasters. He would reduce the rate on newspapers and periodicals mailed by the general public and exclude firearms from the mails.

Steadiy increasing efficiency and economy in the postal service has been shown since 1921, the Postmaster-General said. The growth of the service as shown by postal revenues was 4.65 per cent over the previous year, while in 1924 the increase was 7.53 per cent. Total revenues were \$9,591,477, or \$26,642,699 more than in 1924. Expenditures, together with undistributed liabilities, amounted to \$49,044,567.

Retired Government employees are being paid annuities entirely too small to meet the requirements of ordinary living conditions. New said in recommending that the maximum of \$720 be increased. Modification of the law would be justified by every consideration of humanity and justice, he declared, and would result in ultimate economy to the Government.

As to group insurance, he asked for permissive legislation allowing him to contract such insurance to the extent the employee desired to participate and without any appropriation by the Government for payment.

The Postmaster-General recommended legislation transferring to himself power to appoint third-class postmasters as is now the case with fourth-class postmasters. Postmasters of the first and second classes, numbering about 4,000, still would be appointed by the President.

The present postage rate on newspapers and periodicals mailed by the general public is excessive, the report said, and as a result there has been a great falling off in mailings of this character. A rate of 1 cent for each two ounces was urged.

Other Proposals.

Other recommendations include:
To prohibit the charging of a fee for inquiries made for patrons concerning registered and insured and collect-on-delivery mail.

To authorize the issuance of receipts to senders of ordinary mail of any character, domestic or international, and to fix fees therefor.

To authorize the imposition of demurrage charges on undelivered collect-on-delivery parcels.

To extend the collect-on-delivery and limits of indemnity to third and fourth class domestic parcels on which first class postage is paid.

FORMER OVERSEER OF POOR

IN EAST ST. LOUIS FINED \$500

Louie Ross, former Overseer of the Poor in East St. Louis, was fined \$500 today when he pleaded guilty before Circuit Judge Crow at Belleville, to a charge of conspiracy to defraud by which St. Clair County is said to have lost about \$2,000.

Ross and William Sherman of East St. Louis were jointly indicted early last year. It was charged that for eight years Sherman secured foodstuffs for his home at half-price by means of orders issued by Ross. The overseer would issue an order on a grocery for \$4 worth of foodstuffs which he would sell to Sherman for \$2. It was charged.

Sherman's case is still pending. State's Attorney Lindauer said today he plans to sue Ross to recover \$2,000 for the county. Ross has artificial limbs.

When you must do two men's work

It's a situation every business man sometimes faces. Long hours at the desk—shortened hours of sleep—hasty and irregular meals—lack of exercise—these sap the vitality of the strongest body.

At such times the danger of constipation is most common—and most serious. Guard against it by the method that doctors agree is natural, gentle, absolutely safe.

Nujol Corrects Constipation in Nature's Way

Constipation is dangerous for anybody. Nujol is safe for everybody. It is neither a food nor a medicine. It does not gripe. It is gentle and natural in its action and is prescribed by leading medical authorities.

Nujol simply makes up for a deficiency—temporary or chronic—in the supply of natural lubricant in the intestines. It softens the waste matter and thus permits thorough and regular elimination without overtaxing the intestinal muscles.

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For Constipation

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Shopping Days
Before Xmas**

**The New
Mugents**
The Store for
ALL the People

"Let Christmas
Cheer Ring
Out Clear
at This
Glad Time
of All Year."

BUY THE
MORRIS
PLAN
ON
20 to 50 Weeks to Pay for All the Gifts
You Need, According to Your Selection.

Tuesday—Children's Day

An Excellent Assortment in Girls'
COATS

In the separate section for girls of 6 to 16 years you will find a most unusual assortment of lovely Winter Coats selected for this group. Mostly all are fur trimmed and in the season's most wanted styles and colors.

Come in early
Tuesday while
the size range
is complete
Priced,

\$7.95

DRESSES
Balbriggan and Cotton Velveteen Frocks
for Girls

Regularly
\$5.95 to \$7.95
\$3.95
Come in
Navy
Brown
Beige
Henna
Pecan
Coco
Coral and French Blue
Sizes 6 to 14

Hand-in-hand with colder weather comes this special sale of warm Dresses—and they are just the frocks which all young girls want.

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New Arrivals in the Children's Hat
Section—for Holiday Wear

New Polo Cloths
\$1.95
Clever New Felts
\$2.49 to \$3.95
Smart Broadcloth Hats
\$3.95 and \$4.95
New Silk Hats
\$2.95 and \$3.95
Dressy Velvet Hats
\$2.95 to \$4.95
Skating Sets
\$2.49 to \$3.95
Hockey Caps
\$1.25 to \$1.60

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Zipper
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For rain or
snow; a smart
fashion says Zip-
pers. An incomparable
method of fastening—
long, satisfactory wear.
Sizes for misses and
children.

\$6.00

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Come prepared to see the greatest collection of Boys' Xmas Gifts. Visit our Boys' Bazaar. Great preparations have been made to simplify your Xmas shopping in our Boys' Store. We are prepared to take care of any gift you may desire for your boy. Below are a few timely suggestions.

Warnova Play Suits

Big Chief
Indian Suits
The Real Wenova
Cowboy Suits
Fireman Suits
Made of extra good qual-
ity drill. Big red hat and
eagle top belt, long blue
trousers and red flannel
shirt; brass buttons and
shield. Priced.

98c " \$3.45

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\$3.00

Traffic Cop and
Police
Made of heavy, extra
quality blue drill. Hat,
club, belt and shield.
Straight and faced trou-
sers. Made the traffic with leg-
gins. Priced.

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Sale of 500 Boys' Big Warm Winter Overcoats

Go on Sale Tuesday—At Two Remarkable Prices
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Regular \$15.00 and
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A timely sale of dandy, big warm Overcoats. In
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breasted English box styles with large convertible
collars. One-fourth, one-half and full lined.

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MONDAY,
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Eighteenth street, \$22.47; Martha B. Newman, 6109 Pershing avenue, \$23.71; Louis B. Niedelman, 1347 Montclair avenue, \$96.95.

B'nai B'rith for World Court.

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 7.—Res.

olutions directing all lodges of the

order to support organizations

working for the entry of the United

States into the World Court were

adopted here yesterday by the Na-

tional Executive Committee of the

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SOLES, \$3.00

SHOES
HALF SOLED . . . \$1.25

Heels, Rubber or Leather, 40c

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7 BRANCHES PHONE NEAREST BRANCH

OUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY!

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ing Shop

the Bargain Section!

Dresses

\$5.55

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Women's . . . Extra Sizes

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A \$550 VALUE AT
\$269
for the Outfit Complete

No Money Down

If you trade in your present piano or phonograph at full present value as first payment.

30-Day Trial
Free exchange privilege at full price any time within 30 days.

Week! Remember—This is a brand-new trained Player-Piano with a beautiful tone and latest, most attractive style and finish. With Music Roll Cabinet, Bench and Music Rolls, this wonderful Player-Piano Outfit! \$669 is our everything complete and, best of all, you can buy easy terms (as low as \$2 a week) that the Player-outfit will be paid for before you realize it.

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Until 9
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Ingredients From
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The best Fruits, Nuts, Raisins, etc. Quality—Quality has been our watchword for 47 years, and continues so!

Special Mon. Tues. Wed.

CALLIE HAM PER LB.
FRESH

Veal PER LB.
25c

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or Breast . . . 15c

All U. S. Inspected

31c

Krey's Bacon

Sugar cured. Dry pack; half of whole side weighs about 4 lbs. No slicing charge. Per lb. . . .

Bacon Strips . . . 19c
Hickory smoked. Dressed, boiled with vegetables.

25c

Quaker Oats

Quick or regular. 6 lbs. limit.

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Delmar at DeBaliviere

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With Musterole

Influenza, Grip and Pneumonia usually start with a cold. The moment you feel those warning aches, get busy with old Musterole.

Musterole relieves the congestion and nasal circulation, and is all the good and comfort of the old-fashioned mustard plaster without the blister.

Rub it on with your finger-tips. First feel a warm tingle as the healing ointment penetrates the pores, then a smooth, smooth, smooth relief.

To Mothers: Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole. Jars & Tubes

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WILL NOT BLISTER
Better than a mustard plaster

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and any cough due to a sensitive throat, quickly responds to PERTUSSIN. It not only soothes the delicate throat, but irritates by excessive stimulation, but helps bring about a speedy recovery.

Because PERTUSSIN is free from "dope" (such as narcotics, chloroform, cannabis or other harmful drugs), it can be taken freely whenever a "cigarette" "pertussis" cough annoys.

Known to practicing physicians for years and sold by all druggists in large and small bottles.

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Safe for Every Cough

THE QUICK AND EASY WAY TO
A LOST ARTICLE IS TO AD-
DRESS THE LOSS IN POST-DIS-
PATCH WANTS.

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Ask the sickly, frail child for care and if they don't believe you, direct him to the druggist and back the money you paid for them.

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A. R. Meier, 609 Chestnut street, \$15.30; Milton Macinnis, 304 Washington avenue, \$23.17; S. McGuire, 4040 Olive street, \$24.70; Charles Mahrman, 1044 Hickory street, \$22.77; J. P. Mangis and F. and J. P. Mangis, 2535 Shadeland avenue, \$42.97; George Marqua, \$649 Park lane, \$20.43; John C. Marshall, 1701 Nicholson place, \$26.67; Meagher and Sheehan, 206 Leonard avenue, \$45.34; Eva J. Melone, 4522 Geneva avenue, \$8.67; C. H. Melvin, 925 Beach avenue, \$12.51; George Menefee, Laclede Hotel, \$27.16; Ferdinand H. and Mathilde C. Menke, 4115 West Florissant avenue, \$10.20; Otto Menzing, 5578 Pershing avenue, \$24.22; George Meredith, 2318 Cass avenue, \$14.02; Elizabeth Messenger, 4951 Beacon avenue, \$22.55; Joseph Messier, La Salle Hotel, \$7.65; Edward G. Meyer, \$619A South Spring avenue, \$12.40.

George T. and Mary Meyer, 5669 Gates avenue, \$10.20; Lizzie Meyer, \$25.22; South Grand boulevard, \$21.75; N. Meyer, 5379 Pershing avenue, \$22.50; Rosa Meyer, 3612 Flinney avenue, \$19.02; Walter Meyer, 5217 Delmar boulevard, \$20.40; Will Mervin, 4558 Maryland avenue, \$10.20; William F. Meyer, \$544 Minerva avenue, \$12.75; Harry E. Meyers, 53186 Pershing avenue, \$10.20; Mat Miljanic, 1638 Franklin avenue, \$15.30; Miller and Rosen, 1191 North Broadway, \$20.65; Catherine Miller, 1859 Delmar boulevard, 1125 Chestnut Hill, 703 Martin street, \$15.60; George A. Miller, 4808 Parkview place, \$7.65; John C. Miller, 5228 W. Avenue, \$14.06; John N. Miller, 4016A Sullivan avenue, \$21.42; Julius H. Miller, 1911 Longfellow boulevard, \$14.02; Myra A. Miller, 1321 Blakstone avenue, \$13.79; Oliver Miller, 3558 Connecticut street, \$12.34; William F. Miller, \$544 Pershing avenue, \$24.69; Arthur J. Millison, 4743 McPherson avenue, \$8.41; Agnes M. Mills, 5122 Page boulevard, \$13; W. J. Miner, 3703 Washington boulevard, \$10.20; Roy Mitchell, 8569 Wisconsin street, \$19.92; W. G. Mitchell, 14 North Union boulevard, \$21.75; Margaret Mohan, 5801 Laclede avenue, \$10.20; Len H. and Estelle E. Mehr, 5901 Euclid avenue, \$41.07; Frank S. Melchior, 5605 Olive street, \$29.54.

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Largest Distributors of Merchandise
at Retail in Missouri and the West



Chiffon Silk Hose
Excellent Values at... \$1.50

Full-fashioned, pure silk hose, with
hose top, a lovely kind of gift, being
shown in a little box.

In Gift Box if desired.

Main Floor



Profit Tuesday by Our Unquestionable Dominance in Winter

Overcoats

All That Is "New"—and St. Louis' Best Values at

\$28 \$36 to \$125

We offer everything that means Overcoat satisfaction—the best-known makes, including Society Brand, Kirschbaum, Fruhauf, Burberry models direct from London and other kinds; every new and approved model—Winter's smartest coatings in the latest patterns and shades—and "values" that will impress you, as they are daily impressing hundreds of particular men. Do not delay, but choose your Overcoat here Tuesday and be ready for the holidays.

Our New
10-Payment
Budget
Plan
is a Helpful Charge
Service

This new service permits you to buy clothes with a small cash payment, the balance in ten weekly payments. Cash regular charge and budget plan prices are the same.

Society Brand Suits

Choice of Three Remarkable Groups

\$35 to \$45 Suits \$50 to \$60 Suits \$55 to \$75 Suits
\$28.50 \$38.50 \$48.50

Practically every man knows the worth of Society Brand Clothes and how remarkable it is to obtain the latest models, just before Christmas, at these pronounced savings. Every Suit possesses the superior tailoring and excellent woolens always found in Society Brand Clothes.

Second Floor—Use Sixth or Seventh Street Elevators

For Parents Making Practical Gifts of

Boys' Overcoats

An Unusual
Value at... \$15.75

"Academy" make Overcoats—therefore excellent in every way; new double-breasted models of plain and fancy, durable coatings—all Coats lined. Various shades. Sizes 6 to 18.

Novelty Suits
Special at \$8.50

Middy and button-on
models of wool jersey
and flannels. Sizes 2
to 8 years.

Novelty Suits
Priced at \$2.95

Button-on Suits with
English broadcloth
blouses and jersey
knickers. 2 to 8 years.

"Yankiboy" Play Suits

Indian Suits, 2 to 12 years... \$2.00
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Other "Yankiboy" Play Suits... \$1.45 to \$8.50

Second Floor—Use Sixth or Seventh Street Elevators



Gifts of
Smoking
Jackets
Wide Choice at

\$5.95 to \$27.50

Please "him" with one
of these new shawl-collar
House Coats or Smoking
Jackets; an unusual
assortment of two-toned,
silk and velvet models.

Second Floor



Many Women and Misses Would Like to Receive Smart

Gift Sweaters

\$5.98 to \$7.50 Values

\$4.65

A remarkably special group—certain to meet gift-seeker's requirements; included are the warm lumberjack models—also new turtle-neck and cricket-neck Sweaters. Plain colors, plaids, stripes and other color combinations; sizes 34 to 42 in the lot.

Of brushed wool and fancy weaves—
powder blue, buff, brown, red, gray
and green shades being prominent.

Fourth Floor—Use Sixth or Seventh Street Elevators



Editorial Page
Daily Cartoon

PART TWO.

TURKEY TO REJECT
ANY LEAGUE ORDER
TO GIVE UP MOSUL

Spokesman Says Council's
Only Role Is Mediation,
and That It Cannot Im-
pose Decision.

DENIES HIS NATION
HAS WARLIKE DESIGN

Admits Britain Has Advan-
tage in Military Occupa-
tion, but Adds, "We Are
There Too."

CHICAGO,
that co-operative
agricultural
farms the best
the farmers'
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He is opposed
that the
and buy farm
directly or indi-
believes present
the farmer
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Outlining his
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remedies in an
the annual con-
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securely secured.

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direction.

The League of Nations is try-
ing to build up international juris-
prudence based on justice and
equity," said the Turkish repre-
sentative. "Even the league commis-
sion which went to Mosul reported
that Mosul legally belonged to
Turkey. It would therefore be a
strange kind of justice if the coun-
cil, against our will, rendered a
judgment whereby the sovereignty
of Mosul would be handed over to
Great Britain." The Turkish
people would never stand for this
and we would never dare go home
and tell them we agreed to such
thing."

The spokesman denied that Tur-
key had warlike intentions. He
admitted that if the council's deci-
sion were against Turkey, Great
Britain would possess the advan-
tage of being in military occupa-
tion of Mosul. But he added: "We
are there, too," and continued:
"That, however, does not mean
that peace cannot continue for
some time to come."

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the farm be-
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French in Druse Citadel
PLAN ENVELOPING CAMPAIGN

Lebanon Occupied: Tribesmen May
Be Routed From Lebanon

By the Associated Press

BEIRUT, Dec. 1.—French forces,
after several days of bombardment
and attacks, have completely occu-
pied the town of Hasheya, strongly
held by the rebel Druses. The
French now hold it and the towns
of Hasheya and Jeddah, which
form a triangle. The French now
will endeavor to carry out an en-
veloping movement against the
tribes within the area. The French
have 7000 troops and the Druses
are about 5000.

The Druses also are said to have
been defeated with heavy casual-
ties at the village of Kader, just
inside Damascus. Gen. Gammel,
the French commander-in-chief, is
of the opinion that Lebanon will
be freed of rebels by Christmas
and that the Druses either will be
captured or compelled to retreat.

The dislodging of those of the
tribes who are in the mountains,
it is admitted, will be a slow opera-
tion.

Jewish Benefit Society Meeting

A mass meeting, under the au-
thority of the Abraham Lincoln Mu-
tual Benefit Association, was held

at Cheesel Shet Emet Temple yes-
terday afternoon, at which officials
explained why the lodge has ceased

to be affiliated with the Progres-
sive Order of the West, a national
Jewish fraternity. Police Judge

Lebanon also spoke, and was im-
plicated in a member.

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PART TWO.

TURKEY TO REJECT
THE LEAGUE ORDER
TO GIVE UP MOSUL**Spokesman Says Council's
Only Role Is Mediation,
and That It Cannot Im-
pose Decision.****DENIES HIS NATION
HAS WARLIKE DESIGN****Denies Britain Has Advan-
tage in Military Occupa-
tion, but Adds, "We Are
There Too."****Geneva, Dec. 7.—Turkey will
accept no decision concerning Mo-
sul by the council of the League of
Nations which involves any aban-
donment of Turkish sovereignty,
they.****This pronouncement was made
by the Turkish spokesman last
night. He gave the Angora view-****point on the dispute between Great
Britain and Turkey.****In behalf of the Ottoman dele-
gation, one of its leading members
stated that, despite the ruling of
the World Court of Justice, Turkey
is convinced that the council's****role in the controversy is that of
mediator and that it has no
power to impose its decision on the****parties to the dispute. Hence, he
stated, the council should confine its
action to mediation and not to
deciding the dispute.****At all events, he continued, Tur-
key would not consider itself
bound by a decision to which in
advance she had not given adhe-****rence.****The League of Nations is try-
ing to build up international juris-
diction based on "justice and
equity," said the Turkish represen-
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JOSEPH PULITZER,
April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The Niemeyer Shooting Case.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

OUR attitude in condemning the latest outrage of the police is to be heartily commended. It is to be hoped that the investigation of this matter will be searching and thorough and that such practices will be once and for all put a stop to.

However, the police of St. Louis are not the only ones to misuse their pistols. Peace officers in general are far too hasty with their weapons in circumstances which do not justify the use of firearms.

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Last winter in Chicago two of these master minds trailed a bank cashier to his home, and when he stepped out of his automobile, he was told, "We want to talk to you." He at once drew a revolver, killed one, seriously wounded another, and was properly exonerated by the coroner's jury, for, as he said, he naturally presumed them to be holdup men.

It is written at divers times violently disagreeing with your views on certain subjects. Although I do not share your views, I am bound to express my admiration and respect for a paper which does not hesitate to denounce and fight wrongdoing, whether it be that of corporations, individuals, or lawless officers.

A. W. G.

Pat Reilly's Thanks for Aid.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I AM writing this letter to thank all the kind people who gave help in answer to my letter, and also I want God to bless each and every one, also the many little boys and the dear old lady 78 years old, who wrote me. Now I don't know everyone who helped so this is the only way I can let them all know how happy my brother and myself are now that we have so many warm things and they were sure right on hand when the snow came. Also the money helped put us in the shape we know that we will have a nice Xmas dinner. Oh, boy, that's fine when you can all be together in your own home eating your Xmas dinner all cooked by mother. Well, I don't know any more to say only please say I thank them all, also yourself and the good reporters on behalf of my mother, brother and myself. I wish them all a merry Xmas, a happy New Year.

FROM THE LITTLE BOY IN NEED.

Here is a list of the things I have gotten from the many readers to date: Here are all the new clothes. Mr. Carr sent out of town—Two suits, 2 wool coats, one for each; 4 pairs stockings, 4 pair socks, two for each; 2 waist coats, 2 sweaters one for each; 2 caps, 2 overcoats, one for each; 2 pairs gloves, 2 ties, 2 belts, one for each. Also he gave \$2 just for Christmas he said. Many thanks to him. Also a shoe man at \$400 South Broadway sent two new pairs of shoes. Many thanks to him. Also a man at the International Hotel Co gave four new suits, 2 caps, 2 overcoats, 2 ties, 2 belts, and a dear old lady 78 years old sent \$1 and two pairs of gloves she made. God bless her. Here are the other things. Some were too big, but will be just right in the spring: Five suits, 2 pairs pants, 2 wool sweaters, 5 wool waist coats, 2 other waist coats, 2 caps, 2 ties, 1 belt, 3 scarves, 2 pairs stockings, 2 overcoats that fit 18 pairs stockings, 2 under suits, one-half dozen ties, 5 pairs gloves, 2 pairs shoes, 1 pair boots, 1 wool cap, 2 other caps, 2 ties, 1 belt, 3 scarves, 2 pairs stockings. Also money you sent out to me, \$12, \$26.50—\$41.50. Received at home, \$12, \$26.50—\$41.50.

PAT REILLY,
8227 Bell avenue.

In addition to the above the Post-Dispatch has received \$2 from J. W. Hiltz, \$10 contributed by Post-Dispatch rotogravure employees; \$1 from Miss Anna Sheetz, Moberly, Mo., and a box of clothing; \$1 from "Old Maid"; \$1 from "M. M." \$1 from Jemmy Campbell, Hardin, Ill., and \$4.37 from Maude P. Richardson, contributed by herself and several neighbors. All contributions have been forwarded.

It is suggested that any further aid be forwarded direct to the Reilly family, whose address is 8227 Bell avenue.—ED., Post-Dispatch.

AS CONGRESS MEETS.

Mr. Coolidge's days of comparative freedom from care are over. Congress is again "on his hands."

With that sentence Charles G. Ross, our chief Washington correspondent, concludes a survey in the Sunday Post-Dispatch of the major legislative questions and political difficulties with which the sixtieth session of Congress, which meets today, will wrestle.

The outstanding legislative feature, from the standpoint of the citizen's direct personal interest, is the new revenue act. The Ways and Means Committee of the House has completed its draft of the bill which, it expects, will be passed before the Christmas holidays. The Senate, it is forecast, will revise it substantially—rewrite it, indeed, in many particulars—after which the measure will be referred to conference treatment. The point of paramount public moment is whether the bill will be passed before March 15 so that the reductions will apply to the 1926 tax bills.

Next in the category of legislation with a direct material appeal is the matter of river development. Will Congress at last bring ordinary business intelligence and judgment to the question of river transportation by providing adequate means, either by appropriation or a bond issue, for completing the program of river projects approved by army engineers?

Those are the pre-eminent domestic issues.

In the field of foreign relations the question of our adherence to the Permanent Court of International Justice, according to the Harding-Hughes-Coolidge recommendations, holds priority. The runner-up is the matter of ratifying the debt-funding terms arranged with Belgium and Italy.

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CRIMINAL POLICE STUPIDITY.

Julian Niemeyer, 12-year-old schoolboy, who was shot by Detectives Abbott and Frank of the Police Department, because he ran away when they advanced on him and four companions with flashlights and revolvers, was found by his father shackled to a cot at City Hospital. The police had ordered him shackled under a charge of being suspected of burglary.

Since the boy had not committed burglary or any other crime, and the police had not the slightest evidence that he had committed a crime or intended to commit a crime, he was the victim of a double outrage. Yet the police authorities so far have not discovered anything wrong in the treatment of this shot and shackled innocent boy.

To the charge of criminal recklessness in the use of revolvers on the part of the two detectives must be added the charge of criminal stupidity on the part of the police authorities.

TEN DOLLARS "WORKING" FOR 1000 YEARS.

Nothing more fantastic in the way of finance has been tried than the reported placing of \$10 by Henry C. Granger, former United States Minister to Colombia, in a Colombian bank, to roll up interest for 1000 years, the fund thus created to be disposed of by the then President of the United States and others. The \$10, unless the bank broke and barring an unknown number of other accidents, would amount to \$5,274,523,624,229, or a thousand times the estimated total cost of the World War.

In his fascinating romance "When the Sleeper Awakes," H. G. Wells pictured what would take place if an individual put a sum of money at interest and left it untouched for a long period. In that novel, the period was only 200 years. But the compounding of interest made the beneficiary of the fund, so huge had it grown, master of the world.

Manifestly, long before the \$10 deposited by Granger grew to anything like the thousands of billions at the 1000-year limit, every worker in the world would be working for the fund. For money does no real work. Someone has to earn every dollar when a sum of money "earns" interest. And compound interest can become the most terrible tyrant and taskmaster.

BAKERIZING THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Our State Highway Department is being politically card-indexed. Mr. C. D. Matthews, a member of the commission, whose term expires today, has circulated the 1700 employees of the department, requesting them to state their political affiliation, along with the kind of work they are doing.

Matthews disavows any intention of making political a condition of employment. He thus explains his questionnaire. The politicians, it seems, have been talking about the department. Republicans say most of the employees are Democrats, while Democrats say most of the employees are Republicans. The commission wants to know which rumor is correct. Hence this query. Not that anyone is going to be fired on account of his politics. No, indeed. Nor is the information obtained by this canvass to be divulged. But with the facts in its possession, the commission will be prepared to "stop these remarks."

Just how the commission is going to "stop these remarks" without disclosing the political status of the department's employees is somewhat puzzling. If a Democratic politician charges that most of the highway employees are Republicans and the commission says "it ain't so," what then? Will not that statement confirm the suspicions of the Republican politicians who have been saying that most of the employees are Democrats? So with a reply to a Republican charge. Plainly, the Highway Commission is headed for trouble if it starts out to silence the politicians. Instead of smothering the occasional rumors it is going to swell political gossip into roaring thunder.

Bluntly, Mr. Matthews' explanation does not explain. Whether it is just a peculiarly stupid blunder or a vicious design to reorganize the Highway Department on the basis of spoils politics remains to be seen. If the latter objective is the end desired it would be typical, we regret to say, of the Baker administration.

Meanwhile the people of Missouri would be delighted to learn that the employees of the State Highway Department had ignored Mr. Matthews' inexcusable impertinence or had informed him it was none of his business.

Evidently Mr. Matthews wants to succeed himself on the Highway Commission. If his circular letter is the Governor's price for reappointment, Mr. Matthews has paid too much for the job.

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ANOTHER ASPECT OF LOCARNO.

The Locarno treaty has a more solid basis than a mere tridimensional idealism. As was pointed out by Lord Thomson, former British air secretary, to a group of St. Louisans, it was dictated by common sense and economic need. There has been a decline of 20 per cent in the trade of other nations with Europe, as well as a decline of inter-European business. Commerce and industry have been affected by European suspicion, intrigue, quarrels and jealousy. This was in the minds of the men who sat down at Locarno. With a promise of peace and security held out by the Locarno treaty, business of European nations will soon be on the upgrade.

Young La Follette is in the Senate, having inherited his father's seat, and prepared apparently to carry on the elder statesman's tradition of opposition to party orthodoxy. Norris is there. Shipstead, Brookhart, McNary are there, and a new figure in the person of Gerald P. Nye, by way of gubernatorial appointment. And Borah, like Rutledge, "rides alone." Consider the States back of this group: Wisconsin, Nebraska, Minnesota, Iowa, Oregon, North Dakota and Idaho. A formidable area nominally Republican but actually having little in common with that party.

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THE STREET-WIDENING DELAY.

In its examination into the status of the street-widening projects, the October grand jury found much cause for complaint. Fifty of these projects are pending in St. Louis, involving thousands of buildings, and property valued at \$25,000,000. At the present rate of progress, it does not seem likely that the projects will be completed much before the crack of doom. In the meantime, property must lie dormant, and all improvement or development is stopped.

One of the first steps in any street-widening project is the appointment of commissioners by the Circuit Judges. The commissioners' duty is to appraise the property to be condemned, and to make reports of their findings. There are nine projects of major importance in which no commissioners have been appointed, although these projects have been in the hands of the Judges for periods up to two years, because the City Law Department lacks the force to do the work.

A reasonable length of time for commissioners to agree upon a report is placed by the grand jury between twelve and fifteen months, except, of course,

in the case of such enormous projects as the Olive street one. But the grand jury finds that commissioners have taken more than three years to complete work on lesser projects. One case has been pending since 1920, and only five meetings have been held by the commissioners since their appointment six months ago.

The grand jury recognizes that the commissioners themselves are not wholly to blame; they are severely handicapped by conditions in the City Law Department, to which they must look for legal advice and clerical assistance. The department, undermanned and underpaid, is swamped by the demands upon its time.

No wonder the grand jury describes the procedure as cumbersome, awkward and not economic. No wonder it cannot hope for a speeding up of the street-widening program until the whole skin is untangled. It is understood, of course, that thousands of intricate and tedious problems are involved in the projects, but they will become more intricate and tedious with delay. The grand jury's analysis is an excellent one, and should be productive of vigorous action all along the line to end what has become a costly and intolerable condition.

FROM OUR WINDOW.

The eye, groping through murky air from the windows of the Post-Dispatch, catches a new motif in the St. Louis skyline. It is the aspiring pinnacle of the new telephone building, just now a design of steel tracery against the sky. Just a provocative margin of the stone facade is visible beneath the pattern of girders. The eye is pleased, gratified. It sends a message to the brain. There rises St. Louis. Such charming glimpses make us at times forget about the smoky gloom of the city air.



THE CONGRESS WILL PLEASE COME TO ORDER!"

JUST A MINUTE Written for the Post-Dispatch by CLARK MCADAMS Copyright, 1925.



SOCRATES AND HIS PUPILS.

Socrates: I suppose you young men have ridden on the Monogram cars since the new pay-where-you-can't-go rule went into effect?

Glaucus: Yes. I was in one of those cars this morning.

Socrates: Did you pay your fare?

Glaucus: I did by riding down to Fourth street.

Socrates: Precisely. We were talking about it at the agora last night, and when they were kind enough to ask me what I thought could be behind such a rule as that, I advised them that it is done to reward the interest in the safety of the town. We have not heard much of the people down in the old part of town since the referendum on the Courthouse site, but we can be sure that they have all this time been keeping up what Mr. Antwerp would call a hell of a street-widening delay.

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DRAMA

Social Activities

Nov's "Saint Joan" Repeats
Courtly Ironies and Emotional Tempests.

By RICHARD L. STOKER.
Those who trade the dreams as an agent for widening the horizon, purifying the spirit, stretching the adult mind will find in fact that the manager of the American Theater secured a return visit of the English play of our time—*Bernard Shaw's "Saint Joan"*.

It is eminently worthy of

not only a second time,

thin and fourth. A week's

engagement opened last night with

eloquent Miss Julie Arthur,

more in the role of the Maid

of Charity.

"Saint Joan" is a monument to

the ascent of the human mind in

more than a century. No

ago than 1801 appeared

Jeanne d'Arc of Orleans, by

French Schiller.

It is a play which ranked as

one of the brilliant intellects of

the century.

Yet it plunged headlong into

romantic and mythological

temperament cluttered about the

person of Joan of Arc. Thanks to

the progress Shaw has been

able to rationalize the legend. And

under the wand of his upright

spirit there emerges a greater

than Joan's voices or her

great power over the winds—

over astounding phenomenon of

man.

Genie in the Flames.

For Joan, in Shaw's divination,

one of those oddities of the

seeds who are endowed with ex-

traordinary mentality, and who have

commonly been destroyed by

the terrified and howling creatures. It

is Joan's superiority as he

says out, which made her so in-

susceptible a nuisance that it could

be stated only at the stake.

He harassed the generals by

ringing out, with irrefragable

common sense, the stupidity of

science. She outraged the

by insisting on the sanctity

of private judgment, and thus in

encompassed the prodigies of

at once a pioneer Protestant

and a Saint of the Catholic hagi-

ography. She alienated the nobility

and cosmopolitan aristocracy, fund-

amentally by embodiment of the

passion of nationalism. The

source of her sanctity so tortured

her that tribe of madmen

in each generation, contrive

to become rulers of the earth, that

she could find relief only by put-

ting her to death.

Comedy for the High Gods.

For it is the downright insanity

seen upon privately scrupulous

men which is one of the prin-

cipal seeds to the play. Out of

the seed to be sown, the most

notorious ecclesiastical mag-

istrates perpetrate the crime of

condoning an innocent young girl

death of unspeakable torment;

because of other fair-seeming

judges, the cultured, clement

Earl of Warwick im-

mediately executes the sentence. Ex-

cept for its savage denouement,

the offense against the law are as numer-

ous as might be expected in countries where

absolute prohibition is in force. The

Conservative party last year presented a bill in

the Storting for the abolition of prohibition.

Abraham Berg, then Prime Minister,

urgently recommended the bill. His words

exactly sum up the situation and indicate

the way to be followed to get out of the ex-

isting mess. "I do not hesitate to say that

the introduction of prohibition has done

great damage to the nation," he said.

"Prohibition was intended to be a blessed

reform, but it has turned out a damnation

reform. We must get rid of prohibition as

quickly as possible. This state of things of-

fers opportunities for the most shameless

elusions of the law. Those wanting to im-

prove the sobriety of the nation must aban-

don other tactics. Young people consider it a

piece of bravery to get hold of spirit and

are committing the most daring smuggling

attempts. The police are not enjoying the

necessary support in the public opinion

instead of permitting these horrors the nation

will be courageous, concede the error

made, and start work for sobriety on other

lines. Things can still be brought right, but

the prohibition law has caused much dam-

age."

GIRLS AND THE SMOKE HABIT.

From the Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

SMOKING has been a subject of consid-

eration in the

controversy in colleges for women

on the question of faculty opinion

as to whether it is a habit in which

students may not indulge. A few schools

permit smoking but, in general, it may be

said nicotine is no lady's game as authorities

of feminine institutions of learning are con-

cerned—and they appear to be concerned,

quite a degree. On the other hand, vot-

es of students tend to indicate they are friendly

to the weed. They appear to be of the

opinion of the churchman who wondered

why the devil had all the best tunes.

Why should man have all the pleasant voices?

Why do girls smoke anyway? For the

same reasons boys do, the primary one being

that it is smart. Smoking pro-

motes health according to the claims of

those of us who believe we have

some valid excuse for our indulgence. Sure-

ly, college is a place for thought and if a

cigarette or two is all that is needed to kindle

intellectual fire, why deny such an insi-

tution a light?

APPRENTICE SCHOOLS FOR WORKERS.

From the Thrift Magazine.

APPRENTICE schools are doing much

to fill up the ranks of skilled workers.

An example exists in New York where ap-

prentices to the number of 7452, according

to the latest available statistics, are enrolled

in classes learning to be carpenters, and

joiners, painters and decorators, electrical

workers, upholsterers, plasterers, bricklayer-

s, plumbers and granite cutters. We are

learning more and more that educational

effort may rightly be directed toward the

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**MISSOURI GIRL WEDS
MAJOR THENAULT**

Miss Sarah Spencer of St. Joseph Bride of French Attaché
At Washington.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 7.—The wedding here Saturday evening of Miss Sarah Spencer, daughter of Mrs. Oliver M. Spencer of this city, to Maj. Georges Thenault, first military attaché of the French embassy at Washington. D. C., and commander of the "lafayette" Engineers of the Christian Cathedral Church before a large assemblage of guests, many of them from out-of-town.

Miss Freda Gross of Chicago was maid of honor and Gen. G. A. L.

Dumont, military attaché of the French embassy, attended the bridegroom. The ushers were Robert A. Brown Jr., Elliott Marshall Jr. and C. C. Burns, all of St. Joseph; Boyle O. Rodes of St. Louis and Lieut. William Wallace Kellott of Philadelphia. A reception followed at the home of the bride's mother, after which the couple departed for Hot Springs, Va., where they will spend their honeymoon.

The bridegroom's father was Judge C. M. Spencer of St. Joseph and New York, who at the time of his death a year ago, was general counsel for the C. B. & Q. railroad. Maj. and Mrs. Thenault will live in Washington.

Maj. Thenault was a visitor to St. Louis and active in the preparations for the national air races held in St. Louis in October, 1923, appearing at several public dinners as a speaker. His position at Washington is adviser on aeronautics and observer of the development of aeronautics in the United States.

**CATTLE MAN WHO MADE GOOD
IN \$2,000,000 FAILURE, DIES**

Grant C. Gillett, formerly of Abilene, Kan., killed in Los Angeles Auto Crash.

By the Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 7.—Grant G. Gillett, former Abilene (Kan.) cattle man, was killed in an automobile accident in Los Angeles, according to word received by his brother, James, at Woodbine, Kan.

At one time Grant Gillett was known as one of the biggest cattle men of Kansas. In 1898, it was disclosed that he had mortgaged his land and crops several times and that his creditors were likely to lose large sums. It is alleged that they held \$2,000,000 in bad paper.

Gillett left Kansas and went to various parts of the country.

Finally was found in Mexico, but action was not taken against him when it became known that his mining ventures were paying. Later he made satisfactory settlement with his creditors. In 1908, he moved to Los Angeles, where he has since engaged in the oil and mining business.

Printers' Pension Law Explained.

An explanation of the new pension law adopted by the International Typographical Union was given yesterday by J. W. Hayes, secretary-treasurer of the organization, an address before members of Local Union No. 8 at Musicians' Hall, 3335 Pine street. The law provides for pensioning members of the union after 20 years of service and after they are 65 years old.

**\$1,400,000 LESS
FOR MISSISSIPPI
RIVER PROJECTS**

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work, \$110,000 for construction of plant and equipment and the remainder for miscellaneous operations.

Be Aired in Congress.

The Upper Mississippi River project is 70 per cent completed, Taylor stated. The existing project provides for a six-foot channel, with a minimum width of 200 feet, between St. Louis and Minneapolis. Of the \$1,600,000 he recommended for this section of the river, he stated that \$827,000 should be spent for dams and shore protection.

The chief of engineers' report will be used by the "River bill" in Congress, headed by Representative Cleveland A. Newton of St. Louis, during the present session. Last year the appropriation for all river and harbor projects was \$40,000,000, and a like amount is set for this year by the President.

Newton and his associates have taken the stand that this amount is inadequate, as a \$40,000,000 appropriation leaves only \$25,000,000 available for new work. Should the President's recommendation stand, 10 years would be necessary for completion of all the authorized projects. The author and others have contended that the country and the Government would save millions of dollars if the work was completed in five years.

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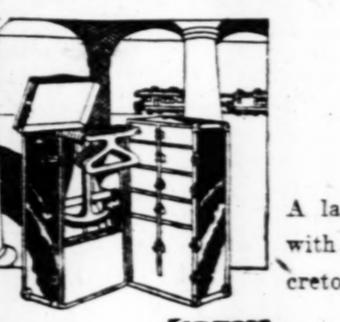
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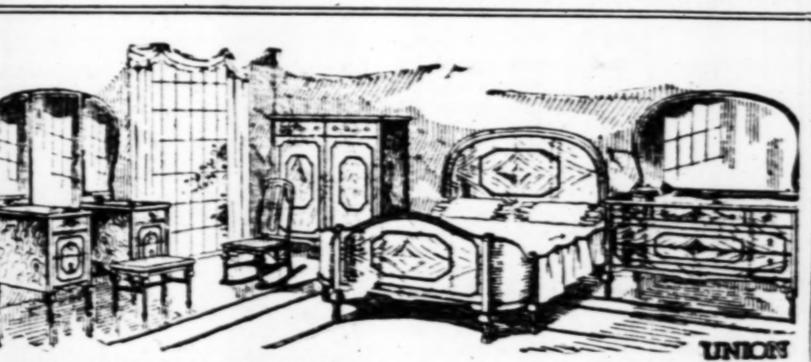
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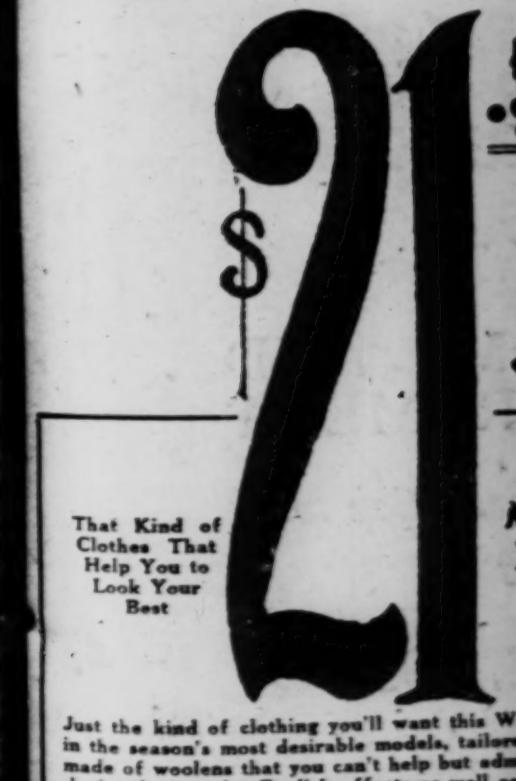
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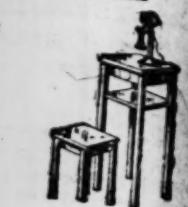
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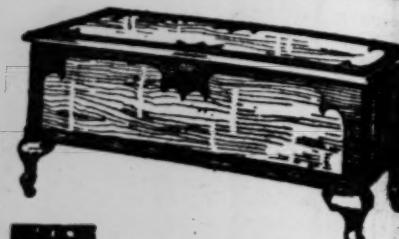
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WANTS--REAL
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WOMAN BEATEN
TO DEATH AFTER
HOME BREW PARTYExpress Driver Admits Hit-
ting Mrs. Callie Black
With Pipe and Leaving
Body in Alley.MURDER IN OFFICE
ON AUBERT AVENUERussell L. Miller Tells of
Meeting Woman When
She Was Selling Flowers
for Disabled Soldiers.A trail of bloodstains in the light
snow which fell Saturday betrayed
the slayer of Mrs. Callie Jean
Woolsey Black, 29 years old, cab-
aret pianist and divorcee, whose
body was dragged to the alley be-
hind 4589 Delmar boulevard, where
it appeared for a time she had
been killed by an automobile.The body was found at 1:15 a. m.
yesterday with skull crushed and
the marks of an automobile tire
across the chest. It lay in the
path of taxicabs which move at
intervals to a garage nearby, and
the first presumption was that a
taxicab had killed her.But policemen investigating in
the alley, found red stains which
led some 45 feet to the rear door
of Morris' Motor Express Co. office
at 715 Aubert avenue.There they found unmistakable
evidence that Mrs. Black had been
slain with a piece of water pipe
and that an attempt had been
made to burn her coat, hat and a
contribution box she used to sell
forget-me-nots for disabled sol-
diers in "home-brew joint" Sat-
urday evening.Subsequently they arrested Rus-
sell L. Miller, 21, a driver for
the express company, who con-
fessed the murder. He met Mrs.
Black in the "home-brew joint,"took her to the express company
in a taxicab, and killed her when
she tried to steal his purse, he de-
clared. "I was pretty well lit up,"
he told his questioners.At an inquest today, Miller was
held without bond for homicide.
On advice of counsel, he declined
to testify.

Miller's Story.

Witnesses gathered by detectives
yesterday found that both Mrs.
Black and Miller were at the home
of Edward Craden, teamster, 2423
O'Fallon street, Saturday evening.
Mrs. Black came in with a taxicab
driver and pressed a forget-me-not
upon Miller, who was drinking
beer with two friends.According to Miller, who con-
fessed before Circuit Attorney Sli-
derer, Deputy Coroner Dever, de-
tectives and reporters, Mrs. Black
suggested they go out and he per-
suaded her to go to the express of-
fice in a taxicab. He spread his
overcoat on the floor, he related,
and dozed off."I woke up when she stumbled
over my body and I saw she had
my pipe," he said. "I told her to give it
back to me and she said she
wouldn't do it. Finally I unscrewed
a piece of water pipe (about four
feet long with a faucet on the end).
I don't remember hitting her more
than once. She fell over on her
face and I dragged her into the
alley so somebody would find her."It was about midnight, he re-
lated, when he finished burning her
effects and went home to his wife
and nine-months-old son at 2847
Bell avenue. He fell asleep imme-
diately and was awakened by de-
tectives at 7:45 a. m.

Burned Coat & Stove.

In the heating stove, the police
found remnants of Mrs. Black's
coat and headed bag and the metal
parts of the contribution box. The
pipe was standing in a corner.
The only money found was a half-
dollar, although Mrs. Black was
known to have collected several
quarters in Craden's place. Miller
denied he robbed her.Miller was arrested after police
got a list of employees from the
owner of the express company,
Lee Fleming of Ferguson. They
sought Miller first because he is
classed as a police character and
has been arrested 11 times. He
confessed readily and repeated his
statement before Sliaderer and De-
ver, asserting he was not abused
during the examination. He was
photographed in the nude in order
to prove, if necessary, that he was
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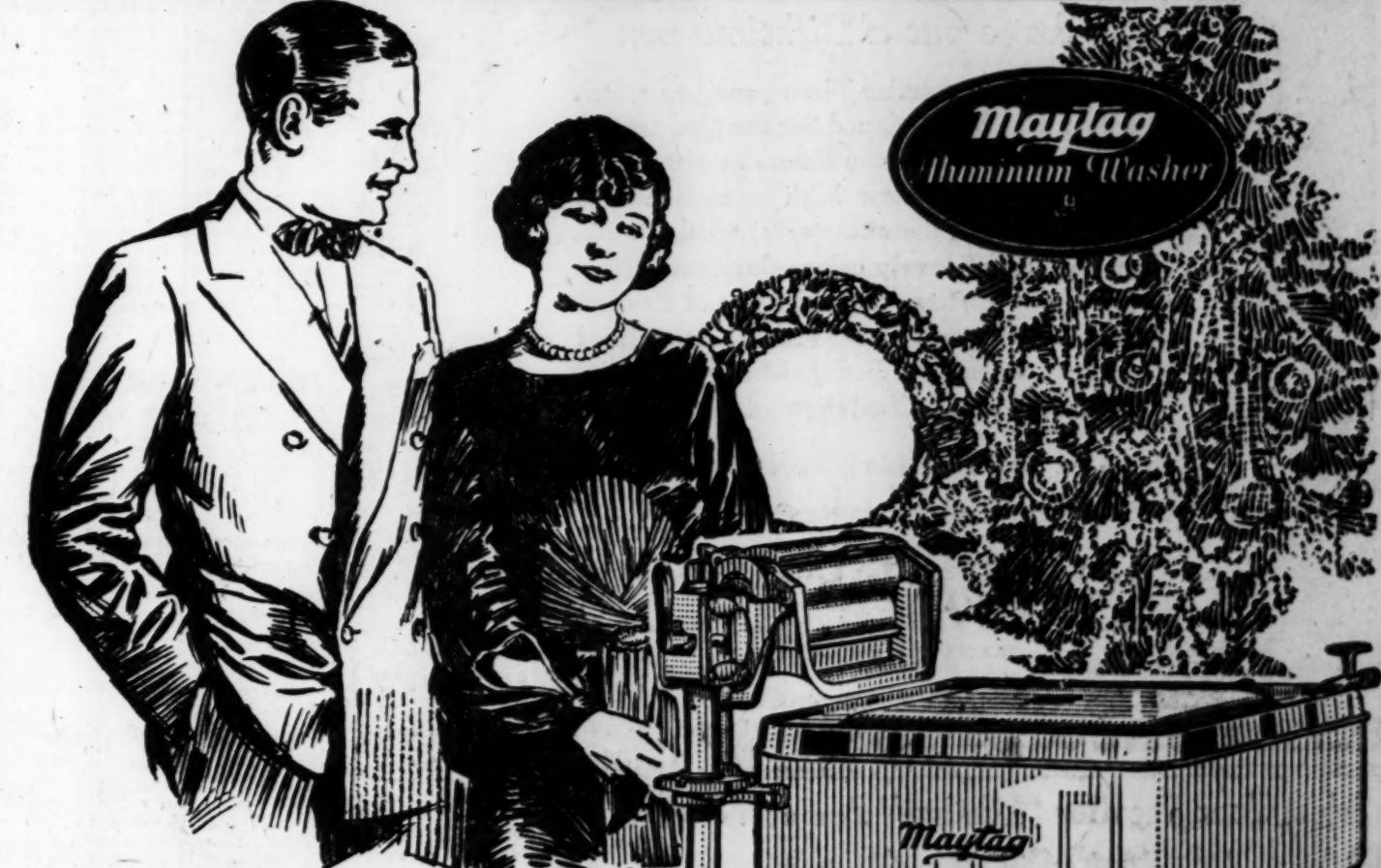
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last October by those favoring the city manager form, and submitted to Mayor Emmett McDonnell, who called the special election. The proposal calls for the election of five Councilmen, who in turn would appoint a Mayor and city manager.

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CARELESSNESS VERDICT AGAINST MOTORMAN

Coroner's Jury Returns Charge
Naming U. R. Employee in
Death of Boy.

A Coroner's jury today decided that the death of 11-year-old Charles Reinholdt, struck Saturday night by a Jefferson car running on Grand boulevard, near Palm street, was due to criminal carelessness of the motorman. The motorman's name has not been learned, and United Railway officials say they have received no report on the matter.

Until a woman witness described the accident at the inquest, it was not certain whether the boy had been struck by a street car or a motor vehicle.

Charles was one of two sons of Mrs. Elizabeth Reinholdt of 2816 North Twenty-second street, who was left a widow five months ago by the death of Louis Reinholdt.

Saturday evening Mrs. Reinholdt went to a service at the Rock

Church and Charles went to the home of an uncle.

Dragged Under Fender.

On his way home, about 7:30, the boy was crossing Grand boulevard when the car struck him. He was dragged under the fender and several bones were broken. The motorman of a Belt car, which came a few minutes later, saw the boy's form on the track, where he had apparently struggled back after being pushed aside by the other car. He stopped his car and the boy was removed to Mullanphy Hospital, where he died.

Returning home from church, Mrs. Reinholdt went to bed, thinking Charles had gone to a picture show. At 2 a. m., when she saw that his bed was empty, she telephoned to the police and learned of the fatality. She went to the Morgue and identified the body.

Woman Tells of Accident.
Mrs. Theresa Hemphill, a witness at the inquest, said she got off the Jefferson car on Heiber street, just before it turned into Grand, and that she saw the car strike the boy as he crossed Grand, between Heiber and Palm streets. She said she saw nothing to obstruct the motorman's view of the boy.

The motorman of the Belt car, J. F. Horan, and the conductor of that car, were at the inquest, but refused to testify, on advice of lawyers of the United Railways Co. Horan was questioned by policemen after the accident, but satisfied them that his car was not the one which hit the boy.

Again Heads Street Car Men.

Murray J. Douglas of 3124 St. Vincent avenue, president of the local street car men's union, was re-elected president of that organization at the annual election of

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HORNSBY WINS NATIONAL LEAGUE'S MOST VALUABLE PLAYER AWARD

Cardinal Leader Gets 73 Of Possible 80 Points; Cuyler Second With 61

Committee of Sports Writers Gives St. Louis Slugger Three
Firsts, Three Seconds and Two Thirds—Bottomley
Ranks Seventh With 28 Points.

By Herman Wecke.

N the closing days of the 1915 baseball season, a 19-year-old shortstop joined the Cardinals. He had been purchased the month before from the Denver (Colo.) club for \$750. He was a noisy youngster with plenty of pop, but to those who saw him he looked a bit light for the big tent. Today this same player is the "most valuable man to his club in the National League."

You guessed it the first time. The player in question is none other than Rogers Hornsby, six times batting champion of the Heydell organization, star second baseman, and in addition manager of the Cardinals. Hornsby's latest honor came when the official vote of the committee of sports writers was made public and showed the Cardinal leader with 73 votes, or 12 more than his closest rival, Harry Cuyler of the Pirates.

The Cardinal manager was honored in 1925, following his failure in 1924—the greatest of his 11 in the big tent. A year ago, Dazzy Vance, sensational righthander, was selected with a total of 74 votes, though he had not been a factor in the big tent. Today he is the "home run king" of the big tent. In the last five campaigns, he has pounded out 140 four-baggers for an average of 28.8 a season.

The season just closed was an eventful one for the Cardinals slugger. Shortly after the opening of the season, Hornsby was hit on the head by a pitched effort delivered by Aldolfo Luque of the Reds. He was out for a time, but he came back strong. Then on May 20, he was named to succeed Branch Rickey as manager of the Cardinals. This did not interfere with his batting, as his record attests. As a manager, Hornsby also made good, leading the club from a bad last to a place in the first division with a percentage over the .500 mark.

The 1925 records show that in 25 games was Hornsby within a safety. That means that in 113 he crashed out at least one safety. Not once during the year did he make five safeties, but on five occasions he accounted for four. In 17 hits he made three hits in 43 he cracked two to safe territory, while in 46 he tapped out one safety.

However right here it might not be amiss to state that only National League trophy rules made Hornsby eligible for the competition. In the A. L. he would have been barred as are such great athletes as Ty Cobb, Tris Speaker, Eddie Collins and Bucky Harris. American League rules bar playing managers from the competition, but it is not so in the National.

Much Praise for Hornsby.

The National League's most valuable player for 1925 is one of the greatest batters of the present day. In this connection, any man who can lead his league six straight years is a real batter. The previous high mark for the National was four in a row, established by Hans Wagner, the old Pittsburgh shortstop.

Rivals admit that Hornsby is great. Ty Cobb, still able to hit .300 after 20 years of service, once said that "Hornsby was the greatest natural batter he had ever seen." And John McGraw once paid the following compliment to the Cardinal slugger: "Hornsby is the greatest right-handed batter who turned the trick in the last 10 years." The Reds' Grimes and Harry Brooklyn; Barnes of the Giants; Carlson, Phillips; Alexander, Cuban; Brooklyn; and Meadows, Pirates, and Genowich and Barnes, Braves.

Hornsby's longest batting streak was one of 14 games, while on another occasion he clubbed safely in 12. From June 13 to 26 in 13 hits he rapped out 25 hits in 48 attempts for an average of .51, while from July 10 to Aug. 16, 14 hits he clubbed 118 with 23 aways in 53 tries to the plate.

Hornsby's best month as a home-run hitter was May, when he rapped out 11. He made one in April, 3 in June, 5 in July, 8 in August and 5 in September. That he hit four-baggers equally as well as he did on the road is evinced by the fact that he made 23 homers at Sportsman's Park, while he connected for 18 while batting on enemy territory.

Many offers for him. The Cardinal manager since he came into the big tent has been a much-sought athlete. The Cuban made several flattering offers for him, but McGraw offered \$25,000 for him, while as late as 1913, the late Charlie Ebbets made an offer of \$25,000 for the slugger. But all were turned down flat by the Cardinal management.

Hornsby, on Feb. 8, 1925, signed a three-year contract to play with the Cardinals. Probably this has been changed since he was made manager. But unless something happens, he'll be in there again in 1926 getting his share of the base knocks and also finding in his usual high-class style.

21 Received Votes.

The Cardinal manager owns several National League records. Among them are the following: Leading the league six straight times in hitting.

In 1922 he made 250 hits, breaking the old mark of 243, established by Willie Keeler in 1907. Made 42 home runs in 1922.

When Hornsby batted .424 in 1924 it was the highest average for a major league star since Hugh Duffy swatted .433 in 1934. Ty Cobb in his best season hit .420, while George Sisler of the Browns clattered .412 a season when he was elected the most valuable player in the American League.

Hornsby has always been a good batter. He did not do so well in the few games he played in 1915, but the following campaign, having put on weight and changed his stance at the plate, Hornsby finished with .313, ranking fourth among the regulars. The following year he was second to Eddie Roush with .327. In 1918 he slumped to .281, but he came back in 1919 with .318, to finish second to Roush. Since then his name has not been found only at the top when the official average have been announced.

144 Homers in Five Years.

The Cardinal star did not branch out as a real swatter of

He Did It With His Bat



ROGERS HORNSBY.

Racing Results and Entries

At New Orleans.

Weather cloudy; track fast.

By the Associated Press.

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assembled to see the Chi-

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at a college crowd that

stands at the Polo

day. Far from it.

GRANGE'S EARNINGS FOR FIRST 11 DAYS AS PRO ESTIMATED AT \$82,000

By the Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Rod Grange, football flash, is making headway in his demonstration that two feet can cover several yards—when properly placed. His earnings in 11 days are estimated at \$82,000.

Grange must share with his manager and th income tax collectors, but the money heaps are mounting and soon he may be able to redem the ice industry for good and all.

Attendance figures, sometimes de-

ceiving, indicate that he averages about \$16,400 a game, or around \$4,700 a yard. He has performed previously before 180,000 persons, contributing a four-figure sum to the Chicago Bears, in five starts.

Estimates place his earnings in

New York Saturday at \$20,000

and in New York yesterday at \$20,000.

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Wellstons Win From Raticans In First Game

in Victory Over Tough Foe, Vespers Fail to Impress.

Dent McSkimming.

A small crowd witnessed two games composing the St. Louis League double-header at Louis University Field yesterday afternoon. Two form upsets were registered when the Vespers got out of a slump to defeat the Ben Millers, 5 to 2, and the Wellstons scored their first victory of the season, 4 to 1.

Football Injury Fatal.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7.—Paul McConville, a member of the Franklin Panthers, a professional football team, broke his neck yesterday while playing against the Summerville A. A. and died before reaching a hospital.

Tells of Incident of Athlete Who Played "Dead," While Rival Star Was Arrested for Killing Man.

By Fielding H. Yost.

(Copyright, 1925.)

IT DIDN'T take me long to discover I was never meant to be an engineer, so after a violent and brief intimacy with the problems which the pros of the Lafayette School of Engineering served me I decided to return to West Virginia and resume the study of law.

Thus, in 1896, I played first with West Virginia, then with Lafayette, and again that year with West Virginia, in spite of the fact that it is today. Wine flowed freely where old college men gathered, and where wine flows there is always a touch of controversy.

In this atmosphere, charged with excitement by animated talk and a sense of keen rivalry, football ex-

handed beyond the under-graduate

lives of those who played it in college; and this being so, as it was football flourished among the big and most select athletic clubs of the day.

Invited to Play.

It was considered an honor for an under-graduate player to be invited to play on a team representing one of these clubs, and after returning to West Virginia I was invited to play with the "Three A" team, representing the Allegheny Athletic Association.

The Temple Cup—a trophy simi-

lar to the one competed for by the baseball teams—was put up as a prize. This whipped up a great deal of interest. The Temple Cup series in baseball, it will be re-

called, was the forerunner to the present custom of annually having a pennant winners in the Na-

tional and American leagues meet

in a series for the championship of the world. The Temple Cup put up as a football prize was regarded in somewhat the same light. The main difference, of course, was that the football players were all amateurs.

In addition to the football I played at Lafayette and West Vir-

ginia, I played two games with the

"Three A" team. These games were played during the season between the regularly scheduled games.

The Allegheny Athletic Associa-

tion had disbanded, so I was

not impressed. However, I easily

got the forwards to play with me

and the halfbacks with me.

Even victory against their

neighbors, the Vespers, was

not impressive. However, I easily

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Victors Show New Spirit.

In the first game the Wellstons

were easily the best. Brannigan

had one of this good day. Bill

Lehman looked more like a fin-

ished center halfback than ever be-

fore. Corrigan swung the ball

neatly from center forward to his

wings and, for the first time this

season the Wellstons looked as

though they knew what to do when

they approached the scoring zone.

There was no lack of fire in the

play of the Ratican team, but there

was no method.

Wellstons Scored Their First

Victory.

Spent more than \$100 for

remedies before help was found

How an obstinate case of rheumatism

was given relief by a simple home

treatment is told by a man in Los

Angeles, California, who suffered for

years with rheumatic pain in the feet

and back.

He spent more than \$100 for lin-

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And it is amazing—the quick, gen-

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Sloan's doesn't just deaden

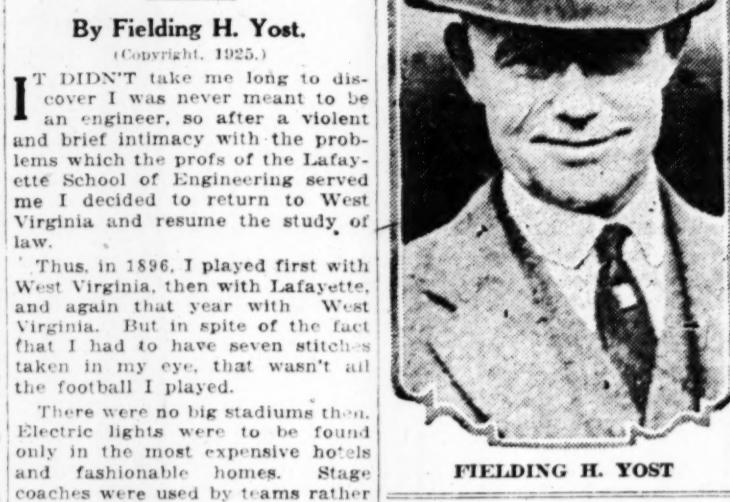
pain; it helps your body to throw off

the cause."

For your own sake, don't. A free pack-

age in plain wrapper, if you write Pyramid Drug Co., 400 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

Yost Tells of Football Games by Rival Clubs Elevens in Old Days



FIELDING H. YOST

lollars to doughnuts they would overcome the handicap. They scored one on Curran's well-driven shot and the Vespers were fighting with their backs to the wall.

Then, suddenly, the whole situation changed. The ball was cleared by the long distance shot, miscalculated in his leap into the air and the ball sailed over his head, into the far corner of the Millers' goal. That shot beat the Millers. The Vespers suddenly aware that they had strength to score even when their opponents seemed irresistible, came on with a new show of spirit and there was a winning club.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1928.

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A factory now selling to the
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Apply, Peters, 303-304 Biddle.
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SECOND TIME IN ONE NIGHT**

Odd-Jobs Man of Commission Row
Says He Discovered Lock Brok-
en Each Time.

The odd-jobs man on "Commission Row" may be the innocent victim of co-incidence, but at any rate he is in Central District holdover suspected of burglary.

Morris Krost, commission merchant at 1141 North Third street, found the front door of his place open at 8 p. m. yesterday. The odd-jobs man was inside.

"I was just going to call you up and tell you burglar had been here," he said. Krost was satisfied and bought a new padlock. At 1 a. m. Patrolman Hartman found the lock broken. The odd-jobs man was inside.

"It's funny," he said, "but this is the second time tonight I found that door open."

"Tell it to the Chief," said the policeman which he did.

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**WOUNDED YOUTH HELD
AFTER SALOON FIGHT**

One of Trio Admits Robbing
Bartender and a Customer
of \$71.

A youth, who identified himself as Charles Dennison, 22 years old, of 4725 Margaretta avenue, was shot and dangerously wounded last midnight in a free-for-all fight in a saloon at Jennings road and West Florissant avenue.

One of the companions, who described himself as Joseph Blanchard, 22, a chauffeur, of 5487 Pertridge avenue, today admitted to Prosecuting Attorney Mueller at Clayton that he robbed the saloon's cash register of \$67.20 and a customer of \$4.10 after the shooting. He said he committed the robbery on the impulse of the moment, explaining that he had had several drinks of liquor during the evening.

The two youths, together with another, who described himself as Henry Blodet, 21, a mechanic, 5251 Grand, also were arrested shortly after the shooting by Deputy Sheriff Thompson, who, during an investigation of the shooting and robbery, followed an ambulance to a physician's office on West Florissant avenue, where he found the trio having Dennison's wounds in the abdomen and groin treated.

Richard Coblin of 2303 Magnolia avenue, a watchman in the saloon, was a witness at the bartending stand, and county authorities the bartenders. Edwin Fisher, shot one of three men who entered the place and started a shooting and robbery. After the shooting and robbery the men left the saloon and drove east in Florissant in an Essex coach, which had been parked outside.

The wounded youth said today he had been shot in a row with a man in Walnut Park, which embraces the place where the shooting occurred. He refused to name the man. Physicians expressed doubt as to his recovery.

Bickel has made no statement.

**BACH CONCERTO POPULAR
WITH SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**

Offered in D Minor After Conductor Reads Letter Questioning Number on Popular Program.

Someone wrote to Rudolph Ganz, he announced as preface to the third number of yesterday's concert of the Symphony Orchestra, at the Odeon, taking him to task for daring to place the formidable name of Johann Sebastian Bach on a "popular" program. The director retorted that there are many things more terrible than a Bach concerto.

It was not merely because the little speech put the audience on its mettle that the concert in D minor for two violins with string orchestra, proved the most popular number of a rather popular program. The violinists, Esmeralda Berry-Mayes and Ethel Kishel, pupils of Concertmaster Michel Guskoff, were recalled on their own merits for a half dozen bows.

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**THREE CHAIN STORES
PUT IN RECEIVERSHIP**

Similar Suits Against Three
Other Merchandising
Concerns Under State Law.

A youth, who identified himself as Charles Dennison, 22 years old, of 4725 Margaretta avenue, was shot and dangerously wounded last midnight in a free-for-all fight in a saloon at Jennings road and West Florissant avenue.

The suits against six salaried concerns, engaged in St. Louis in selling merchandise, chiefly hardware, millinery and women's underwear, by so-called "endless chain" systems, were filed in the Circuit Court today, asking, in each instance, a temporary injunction restraining them from further activities and the appointment of a receiver in liquidation.

The suits, brought in the name of Finance Commissioner French

Attorney-General French, were filed by Arthur J. Mueller, as special attorney, the prosecutions being inspired by the Better Business Bureau at the instance of St. Louis merchants, who have complained of this form of merchandising.

List of Firms Sued.

They are directed against the following firms and individuals:

Fashion Sales Corporation,

575 Arcade building, and Irving Schwartz, Leonid Bleet, Edwin Schwartz, Leonid Bleet, Edwin

The Knu-Knit Corporation,

308 Victoria building, and Hugo C. Polachek, Larry D. Slatter and Viola Popp.

The International Sales Co.,

708 Frisco building, and Nathan R. Wegman.

Florissant Sales Corporation,

317-24 Arcade building, and Her-
bert Wolfe and John W. Ford.

The Community Sales Co., 521

Century building, and Harry Gold.

The Consumers Sales Co., 1013

Century National Bank building,

and Louis E. Sherman.

In the cases of three of the concerns—the Community Sales Co., the Fashion Sales Corporation and the Knu-Knit Corporation—Circuit Judge Falkenhainer issued a temporary injunction and appointed

Finance Commissioner French temporary receiver, the injunction being returnable Saturday.

The other suits were assigned to Judge Miller, who did not immediately take them up for con-
sideration.

A seventh suit against the Mod-
ern Sales Corporation, 410 North Jefferson avenue, and four defend-
ants was prepared by the attorney, but was not filed; it was said, pending some corrections in the petition.

Provision of Statutes.

The actions are brought under a section of the Missouri Statutes, enti-
tled "Co-operative Companies," providing restrictions for the opera-
tion of any person, co-partnership, in-
corporation, etc., engaged in in-
dexing agreements, contracts, in
which the contracts call for payments
of money, or other considera-
tion, greater in value, or repre-
sented to be greater, than the
amount paid in upon such con-
tracts.

The Missouri statute provides
that such concerns shall make a
deposit of \$25,000 in cash or se-
curities with the State Treasurer,
the penalty for failure, upon con-
viction, being a fine of from \$100
to \$1,000.

The system of "chain selling," on
which the complaint is based, is described in literature extensively
circularized by the Better Business
Bureau, which outlined the plan as follows:

"A firm offers you a contract with three coupons for \$4. You are to sell these coupons to three friends at \$1 each and when each of these friends sends in \$3 for similar coupon outfitts, or a total of \$9, you are supposed to get \$10 worth of merchandise. Then the three friends are to sell to their friends in the same manner and so on indefinitely. At the time your order is delivered you are out \$11, next, your three friends are out \$4 each and the firm has collected \$12."

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Woodland { Prince of P. Waking in The
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WHEAT SELLS HIGHER ON LOCAL MARKET

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE Dec. 7.—Wheat started the week on strong basis, influenced by 5 d. advance in New York. The market was held at Liverpool. The latter market was affected by Argentine news. The Huemos were reported to have been sold to a foreigner, said exportable surplus was privately estimated at 65,000,000 bushels. Chicago market.

Wheat closed higher and unchanged to lower. The weather in corn changed the possibilities in the market.

In the local cash grain market soft wheat was 10c higher. The market was rather inactive, bought. Hard was 3c to 4c higher. Corn was ready to hand at the advances. Corn was steady.

Higher demands were noted. Corn was steady.

Wheat opened about a cent to 2c higher. The market was steady.

In the early trading Liverpool came 4d to 5c higher. The market was steady.

Early trading was 1c higher. The market was a fraction to a cent higher early.

Wheat was 1c higher. The market was 1c higher.

Local wheat receipts, which were 229,000 a week ago and 178,000 last year, indicated a steady market.

Receipts were 204,000 bushels, compared with 72,000 a week ago and 90,000 last year.

Through, Hay receipts were 61 cars local.

The visible supply of American grain shows the following changes for the week.

Wheat, 1,644,000 bushels, up 200,000.

Barley, 379,000 bushels, up 210,000.

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STARVING GENIUSES RARE
TODAY, PUBLISHER ASSERTS

Addressed Junior League Dinner, Otto H. Kahn Admits He Wrote Plays as a Boy.

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Screen and operatic stars were included for the first time among the honor guests of the New York Drama League last night in its first dinner of the season. Betty Bronson

represented the movies and Kathleen Howard and Nanette Guilford attended from the Metropolitan Opera Company.

Horace B. Liveright, the publisher, who made his debut in the theater recently with a production of Hamlet in modern clothes, termed this "the golden age of the arts."

A starving genius is as rare on Broadway today," he said. "An non-equity actor. If Samuel Butler, Ernest Dobson and Edgar Allan Poe were living, publishers and

motion picture producers would camp on their doorsteps."

Otto H. Kahn, banker, who presided, said that he wrote two five-act plays when he was 17 years old and his first love affair. They were, he said, "somewhat beyond the conventions of the time." His parents discovered and burned them and started him on a business career, thus putting an end to his theatrical ambitions for a time. Years later he became the head of the board of directors of the Metropolitan Opera Company.

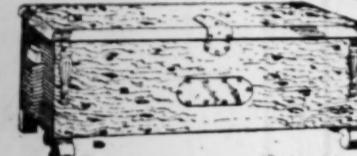
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FROM CALIFORN



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WINS ONE-ACT PLAY PRIZE



Frederick A. McCue, student of the College of Liberal Arts, Boston, whose play, "Sunset," was declared the best of ten one-act plays produced by the University Players of New York.

BEATRICE LILLE'S HUSBAND

LOST \$40,000 OVER
GAMING TABLELONGWORTH'S
SECRETARY

Miss Mildred Reeves will be the first woman to act as secretary of the Speaker of the House of Representatives. She has been in Mr Longworth's employ eight years.

MORE STUNTS

AN UTTER LOSS
AS A BANDIT

Sir Robert Peel, whose wife is the star of Charlotte's Revue as he sailed for home, Dec. 2. Sir Robert will return shortly with their child.

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WOMAN
EXPLORER

Lady Melville Richmond Brown, who is collecting Indian relics in British Honduras.

"Spider" Matlock, Al Johnson and "Pronto" Nichols working for the photographer near Los Angeles.



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Paying Tenants for
Those Vacant Rooms
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POST-DISPATCH WANTS

OL. 78. NO. 92.

The Man on the Sandbox by L. C. Evans

THE PASSING SHOW.
HE tax revision bill, we see,
Is ready and completed;
And everybody will agree
It should not be defeated.
To give relief to one and all,
The measure has attempted,
And some will pay no tax at all,
Because they've been exempted.

The nuisance tax will get the gate
In this important measure;
Which makes the public cackling
note.

With unrestricted pleasure,
So if a leg the Solons shake
They'll make the yuletide pleasant.
As for the public it would make,
A lovely Christmas present.

THE melancholy days are come,
The saddest of the season;
The pudding will contain no rum
For which there is a reason.
Of puddings with an English brand

They tried to ship a cargo,
But they were not allowed to land
Because of rum's embargo.

QUOTE.
And they do say that a rumless
pudding is a bum pudding.
It's all a matter of taste as the
teller says.

Circus Trapeze Performer Gets Year for Non-support.
Indicating that he dropped his
partner.

CAPTAINS ALL.
See where Missouri U. has elected
two captains for the football
team. As Brer Henly might have
put it:

KRAZY KAT—By HERRIMAN



JUDGE RUMMY



BRINGING UP FATHER—By GEORGE McMANUS



MUTT AND JEFF—MAYBE MUTT'S RIGHT—BUT—By BUD FISHER



High Spots in the Life of Little Stanley, the Great Explorer—By Fontaine



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EGANITES LOSE APPEAL, MUST SERVE 25 YEARS

Dinty Colbeck and Eight
Followers Affected by
U. S. Court Ruling in
Staunton, Ill., Robbery.

FINAL CHAPTER IN THE PROSECUTION

Gangsters, Now in Prison
for U. S. Mail Holdup,
Cannot Carry Case to
U. S. Supreme Court.

Dinty Colbeck and eight other
Egan gangsters must serve their
25-year sentences in Leavenworth
Prison. The United States Circuit
Court of Appeals at Chicago dismissed
of the case today by affirming
their guilt in the \$54,000 Staunton
(Ill.) mail robbery of May
22.

The Egan gangsters, who are
serving their terms, cannot carry their appeal
to the United States Circuit
Court of Appeals, so that today's
decision is the final chapter in the
government's prosecution. The
gangsters could file a motion for
hearing, but the Court, having
announced its decision, undoubtedly
would deny it.

Besides Colbeck, those whose
convictions were affirmed are:
Dave Ryan, "Chippy" Robinson,
"Red" Smith, Oliver Dougherty,
Tom Dietmeyer, "Cotton" Eppes,
"Red" Lanham, and Frank
Hackethall. Not Eligible to Parole.
Colbeck, Ryan, Robinson, Smith
and Dougherty are in for a long
stretch. Under the law, as construed
by the Government's special
prosecutor, Horace Dyer, they
never can obtain a parole in the
Staunton robbery case, as they also
served 15-year sentences for the
\$60,000 downtown mail robbery in
St. Louis. If they were not under
second prison sentence, they
would have been eligible to parole
after serving a third of their term.
While serving the Illinois sentence,
Dyer's opinion, however, that
they may begin serving the 15-
year Missouri sentence after they
complete the term imposed by the
Federal Court at Quincy.

The others—Dietmeyer, Eppes,
Lanham, Lanham and Hackethall
will have the privilege of applying
for a parole after one-third of their
sentence has been served, as they
are charged and convicted in the
Leavenworth robbery only.

The nine mail robbers, who
had served their sentences in November
of last year, were not admitted
to bail pending consideration
of their appeal.

Appeals Heard at Chicago.

The appeals were heard Oct. 30
before Judges Alachuler, Evans
and Anderson at Chicago. They
were based on alleged errors on
the part of Federal Judge Fitzpatrick
during the trial at Quincy.

One error it was argued was
to allow the defense to present
evidence to impeach the character of
Ray Renard, former Egan gangster,
who "snitched" on his former
associates. The defense contend
ed it should have been allowed
to show in detail that Renard's
reputation for truth and veracity
was bad. The Court refused to allow
several witnesses, including St. Louis
police, to answer a defense
question: "Would you believe
him (Renard) under oath?"

The defense also contend
ed Judge Fitzpatrick's instruction to
the jury regarding alibi was too
severe on the defendants, who re
lied on alibi.

A. BELL, BANKER, CONVICTED OF \$600,000 EMBEZZLEMENT

Jefferson County Jury of Seven Men and
Five Women Find Head of
Local Bank Guilty.

PITTSBURG, Pa. Dec. 8.—John
A. Bell, banker and coal operator,
was found guilty today of em
bezzlement and misappropriation of
more than \$600,000 of the funds of
the closed Carnegie Trust Co. of
which he was president.

The jury comprised seven men
and five women. The court directed
a verdict of not guilty on two
counts which charged embezzlement
of \$156,350 and false entries
into that amount. Those counts
were dropped by the prosecution
early in the trial. The court's in
structions left 12 counts for deci
sion.

The charge against Bell grew out
of the investigation of the affairs
of the trust company, which was
closed last April by the State
Banking Department.

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**NEW FRENCH
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By the Associated
PARIS, Dec. 8.—Henry Berenger,
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